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The survey of production for 1940 is now available for distribution. The report presents a record of the gross and net value of commodity production in Canada for the year 1940 compared with the preceding year.

Six of the nine branches are concerned with primary production, while the remaining three are classified as secondary production. The industrial groups constituting primary production are as follows:—Agriculture, forestry, fishery, trapping, mining and electric power. The secondary production group embraces construction, manufactures, n.e.s., and custom and repair.

The report presents statistics of gross and net production for the nine branches for the years 1939 and 1940 with percentage analysis. A table is given detailing the main items in duplication between primary and secondary production. The main table presents the gross and net production for the two years in question by the main branches for each of the nine provinces.

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ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN JUNE

Five of the six major factors indicating the trend of economic conditions showed only minor changes from the preceding month. The exception was the deposit liabilities of the banks which receded appreciably at the beginning of the month. The increase in notice deposits was more than counterbalanced by declines in other accounts. The deposit liabilities of the banks in Canada reached a maximum level in the early part of the present year but the latest report indicates that some recession was shown during May. Minor advances were recorded in common stock and wholesale prices during the month under review. During the early months of the present year common stock prices were lower than at any other time since the first part of 1933. The recovery in June was of a decidedly minor character. Speculative trading continued at the low levels characteristic of the period since June 1940. High-grade bond prices were at a slightly lower level in June than in the preceding month but the change was of a slight character. Dominion bonds have remained comparatively steady since the first of the year, yields being lower than at any other time since the beginning of hostilities.

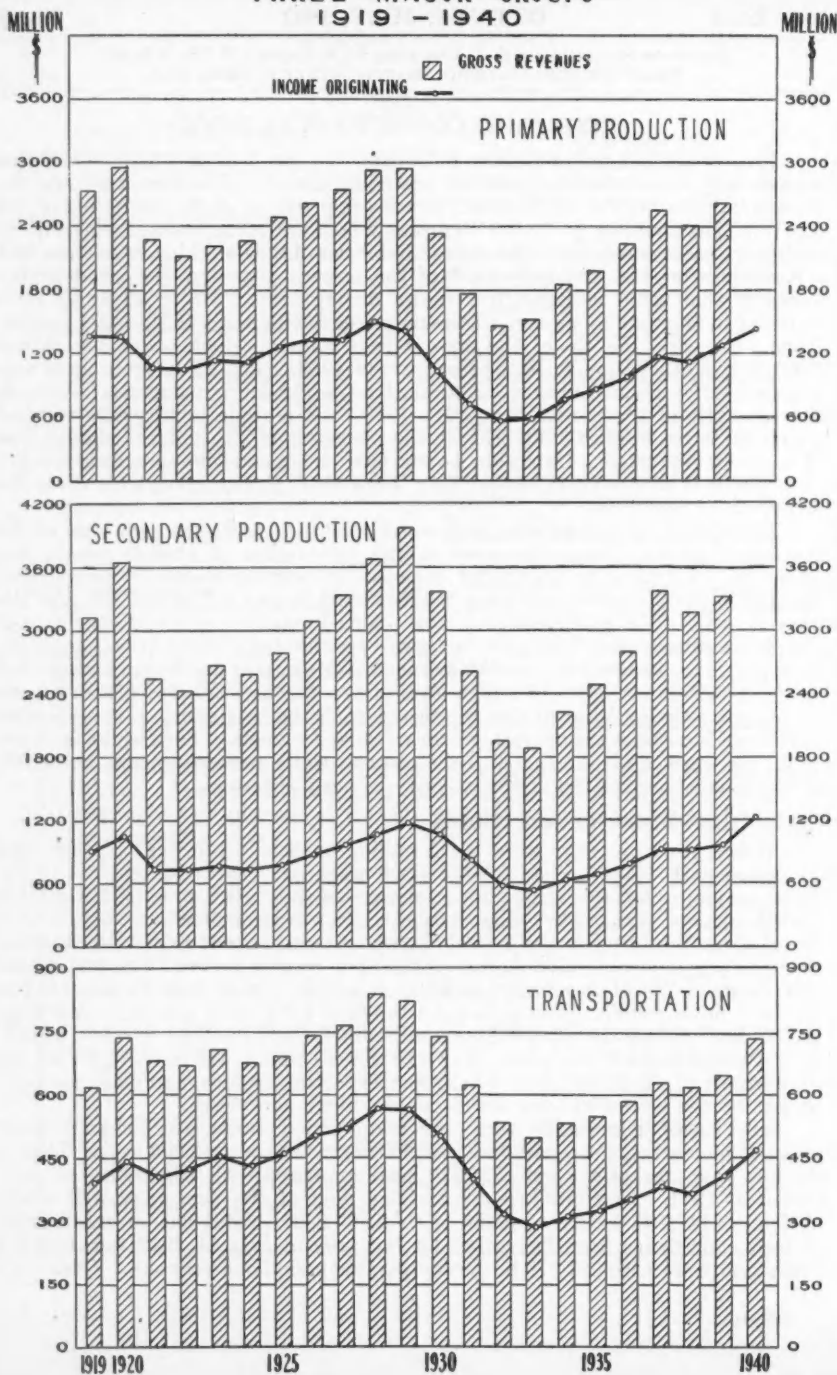
Productive operations were well maintained in June at the high level of the preceding month. Some recession in the production of civilian goods was offset by expansion in industries engaged on war production. Favourable weather in the Western grain areas justifies optimism as to the field crops of the present year. War production has now reached extensive proportions, many of the plants constructed during the last two years having entered upon operation. New contracts awarded by the Department of Munitions and Supply amounted to \$95.1 million in May and a high level of new business is being placed month by month. Owing to activities connected with the war effort, a considerable number of industries are operating near to capacity levels. The freight facilities of the railways are being taxed to the utmost, while some concern is being felt as to the adequacy of the power industry to meet demands.

Agriculture, Fisheries and Mining

Wheat stocks in store were 404.1 million bushels in the week of July 10th compared with 463.4 million for the same week last year. Marketings in the three provinces for the forty-nine weeks ended July 10th were 204.3 million bushels against nearly 437 million bushels. It was announced on July 14 that reports from Western Canada indicated a wheat crop of about 400 million bushels, necessitating a considerable storing of the crop on the farms. The text of the International Wheat Agreement recently signed at Washington by five nations has been made public. The agreement provides for a relief pool of no less than 100 million bushels to which Canada will contribute 25 million bushels, control of production and stocks, export control in which Canada will have 40 p.c. of the total export of wheat and flour by the four exporting nations, and plans for price control by the setting of basic minimum and maximum prices.

June cattle deliveries to stockyards and packing plants recorded an increase with 92,559 marketed compared with 82,866 in the same month last year. During the half year marketings were 524,829 head compared with 476,488 in the same period of 1941. Hog gradings for the first half of the year were well above 1941 at 3,147,709 head compared with 2,893,982. Total cheese gradings in Ontario and Quebec from December 1st last year to July 11, 1942, were 935,531 boxes compared with 521,679 in the comparable period one year ago. Creamery

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butter production was 41.4 million pounds against 40.5 million in the same month last year. The output of factory cheese was 32.8 million pounds against 26 million in the same month 1941.

The catch of sea fish was 89,230,000 pounds in May against 100,690,000 in May last year, the catch by fishermen from the mainland of Quebec having been excluded from the statistics of the recent month. The landed value in May was \$2,698,846 against \$2,077,800 in the same month last year. In view of the fact that a sufficient quantity of the best quality of Canadian silver fox skins is not at present available to fill the United States quota of 70,000 units each year which limits export to the higher grade of skins, the regulations have been amended by revoking Clause 19 respecting the grading of ranched fox pelts. Under the new clause the export of lower grade of furs will be permitted. In past years the volume of the highest grade Canadian fox skins for export has exceeded the quantity allowed under the quota.

The factors indicating the trend of mineral production were mainly reactionary. Gold receipts at the Mint, however, recorded an increase less than normal for the season. The output of coal was 1,367,563 tons against 1,299,694. Production of crude oil in the Turner Valley in July was cut nearly 1,000 barrels daily in the schedule of allowable production issued by the Alberta Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board. Quotas for the month totalled 25,075 barrels per day compared with 26,187 in June. The cut results from the full application in the north end of the field of the plan for conserving of Turner Valley's production submitted last winter by Dr. G. G. Brown, American geologist.

Forestry

The operations of the forestry industry were more active in June than in the preceding month. The output of newsprint was 242,762 tons compared with 251,831 in the preceding month, an advance having been shown in the seasonally adjusted index from 94.1 to 95.4. The forestry index advanced from 113.9 in May to 121.1 in the month under review.

Manufacturing

The factors indicating the trend of manufacturing production were uneven in the month under review. Flour milling production was at a lower level in the latest month for which statistics are available. The meat packing industry was more active according to the volume of inspected slaughtering. An index based on three classes of livestock rose from 127.3 to 134.8. Considerable gain was shown in the slaughtering of cattle and hogs after seasonal adjustment. Raw cotton used in June amounted to nearly 15 million pounds against 17.1 million.

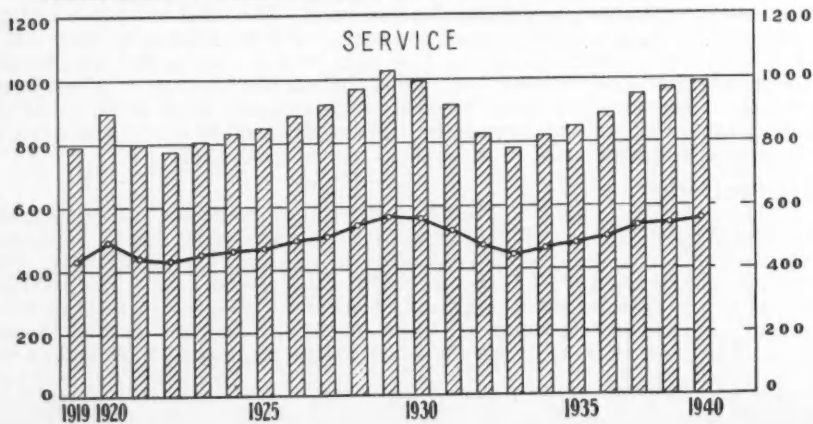
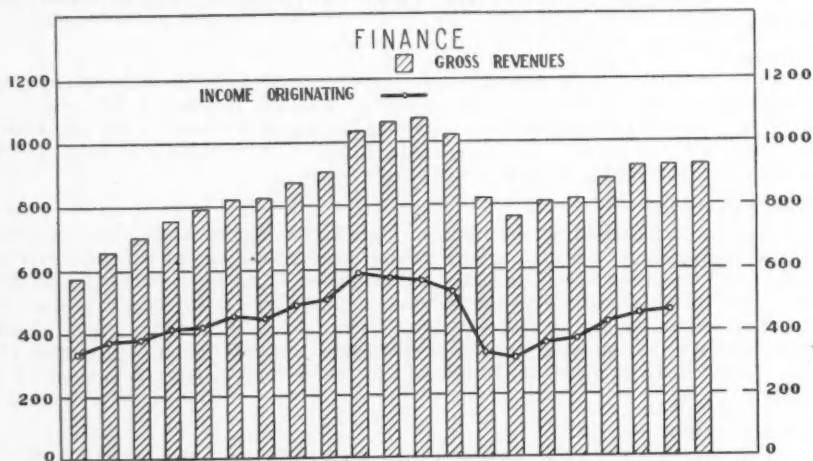
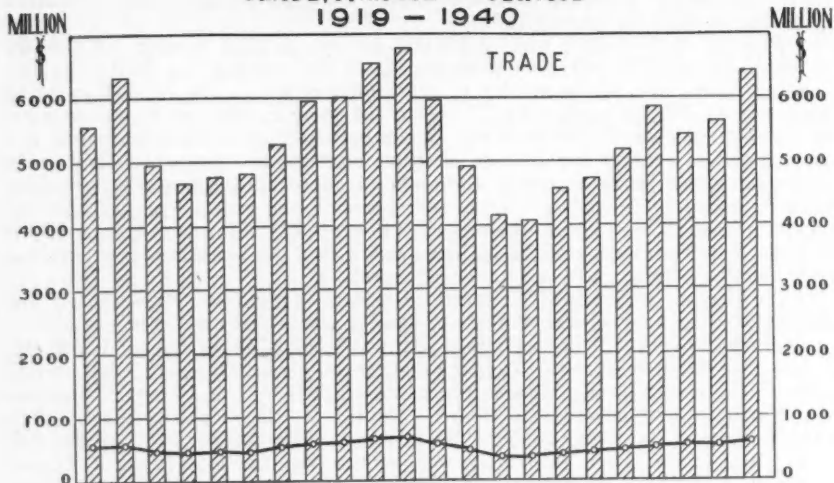
Construction

Construction contracts awarded were greater than in any other month of the present year even after seasonal adjustment. The total was \$46.8 million against \$23.9 million in the preceding month, the index advancing from 100.5 to 173.4. The contracts placed in June were greater than in the same month of any year from 1931 to 1940. In view of the war plant expansion of last year, contracts were \$85.7 million. Of the \$46.8 million placed in June, \$17.9 million were of an industrial character. The new contracts for residential building showed a slight increase over the same month of last year.

Transportation

The combined Canadian National and Canadian Pacific railways' gross earnings for the first half of 1942 exceeded a year ago by 20.3 p.c. The total was \$290.4 million against \$241.6 million in the same period of 1941. The gain over the first half of 1931 was nearly \$141 million or 94.3 p.c. The previous maximum for the first six months was recorded in 1929 with a total of \$254 million, the increase over which was 14 p.c. in the first six months of the present year. The gross revenue of the Canadian Pacific Railway at \$121 million re-

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corded an increase of 21.2 p.c. over the same period of last year. The gross revenues of the Canadian National were \$169.4 million, a gain of 19.5 p.c. over the preceding year.

Carloadings in June were 286,506 against 283,434 cars in the preceding month. After seasonal adjustment the index receded about 1 point to 141.4. The cumulative total for the period from the first of the year to July 11th was 1,766,000 cars. During the same period of 1941, 1,614,000 cars were loaded, the increase having been nearly 153,000 cars. Declines were shown in the movement of grain, coke and "other forest products". The largest increase was shown in miscellaneous commodities, while increases in ore, pulpwood and merchandise l.c.l., followed in the order named. The increases in the movement of coal and lumber were in excess of 11,000 cars.

Trade

The dollar volume of retail purchasing was 12 p.c. greater in May than in the same month of 1941, and was 3 p.c. greater than in April. The unadjusted index number of sales on the base of 1935-1939 stood at 159.4 for May compared with 154.8 in April and 142.9 in May 1941. During the five months ended May, sales averaged 17.5 p.c. heavier than the corresponding period of 1941. The index of wholesale sales was 158.6 in May against 148.6 in the same month last year. The standing in April was 4 points lower than in May, the index having been 154.5.

Prices

The general wholesale price index was 95.8 in June against 95.2 in the preceding month. The standing in June last year was 90.1. Wholesale prices have fluctuated within narrow limits since last November when the index stood at 94.0. Fully and chiefly manufactured goods remained steady in June compared with the preceding month, while the raw and partly manufactured goods recorded a gain of more than 1 point from 89.4 to 90.9. Canadian farm products showed an increase, the index moving up 1.3 points to 81.5. Minor gains were shown in the prices of field and animal products. Four of the eight component material groups showed no general change in June while three moved upward and non-metallic minerals were at a slightly lower position.

The cost of living index advanced from 116.1 on May 1st to 116.7 on June 1st. The index has risen 15.8 p.c. between August 1939, and June 1942. The gain over the preceding month was mainly occasioned by the change in the food index from 124.3 to 126.2. Lower coal prices reduced the fuel index from 112.9 to 112.6, while home furnishings and services dropped fractionally from 118.0 to 117.9. Rentals remained at 111.3, clothing at 119.9 and miscellaneous items at 107.1.

Common Stocks

The index of 95 industrial common stocks was 62.8 in June against 62.0 in the preceding month. The standing in June last year was 64.0. The lowest point in recent years was reached in April when the standing of the index was 61.1. Of the nine industrial groups gains were recorded in machinery and equipment, oils, textiles and clothing, food and allied products and building materials. Telephone, telegraph and power and traction stocks showed advance in the utility section. The index of stocks of eight banks rose from 87.4 to 87.7. An index of twenty-five mining stocks was 53.2 in June against 51.7 in the preceding month. Advances were recorded by the index of the twenty-two golds while the index of three base metals reached a lower position. Net sales of securities by Canada to other countries in April were \$13.8 million. It has only been exceeded in late years by \$23 million reported in March. The value of stocks listed on the Montreal Stock Exchange and Curb Markets was a trifle higher at the end of June at \$3,554 million against \$3,540 million in the preceding month. The standing on June 30, 1941, was \$3,865 million.

I. Analytical and General

I. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED BUSINESS INDEXES, 1935-39=100, SUBJECT TO REVISION¹

Index	1941								1942							
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June		
Physical Volume of Business...	137-1	138-9	141-5	148-9	139-1	133-0	141-3	140-6	134-3	126-2	140-4	131-8	133-7			
Industrial Production.....	150-4	149-2	156-1	160-0	154-9	143-3	154-1	148-4	141-3	144-8	152-7	139-0	142-3			
Mineral Production.....	125-6	146-3	140-9	126-0	123-6	125-6	134-4	120-2	113-7	119-2	138-0	132-0	124-5			
Gold, mint receipts.....	130-9	143-7	132-3	118-7	126-1	124-1	114-7	115-7	105-4	112-4	138-0	131-5	128-7			
Petroleum production.....	239-4	257-7	260-7	269-7	252-1	254-6	245-2	240-4	265-8	254-5	248-3	256-1				
Coal production.....	115-9	124-3	135-9	123-3	110-7	110-0	118-1	128-2	135-7	135-8	159-9	132-8	137-4			
Manufacturing.....	143-5	153-6	163-7	182-3	164-7	149-4	158-9	158-3	152-4	150-2	159-7	144-8	144-3			
Crop Products.....	119-8	127-3	153-7	166-3	136-7	122-8	136-7	122-3	99-4	112-9	117-1	109-8	68-8			
Flour production.....	190-3	180-8	145-0	119-5	207-8	199-1	158-3	152-4	165-1	163-7	180-6	118-9				
Oatmeal production.....	116-8	97-2	22-8	24-9	32-0	26-1	30-2	31-7	37-5	37-0	37-6	17-4				
Tobacco.....	108-8	117-8	134-4	151-9	157-7	147-0	160-5	173-4	179-8	173-6	158-5	134-7	128-3			
Cigar releases.....	125-7	131-0	123-7	136-1	131-0	140-2	216-6	204-7	204-4	199-3	167-7	141-9	140-7			
Cigarette releases.....	107-7	116-9	136-3	153-9	161-1	148-5	155-7	171-1	178-1	171-7	158-2	134-5	127-4			
Animal Products.....	111-2	113-0	115-0	138-3	129-7	162-0	179-7	154-8	169-4	137-0	166-4	136-8	124-7			
Inspected slaughtering.....	128-1	139-9	133-8	150-4	162-8	155-1	157-0	143-8	131-3	142-6	137-5	127-3	134-8			
Cattle.....	113-4	124-1	114-1	121-8	123-9	119-0	120-3	123-6	111-9	117-1	106-0	96-7	112-3			
Hogs.....	156-0	160-3	168-3	190-9	229-6	215-2	203-6	179-5	166-8	188-6	190-5	178-2	65-2			
Sheep.....	102-4	104-7	107-9	119-0	113-2	109-7	112-8	114-2	112-5	110-1	111-0	110-5	105-7			
Creamery butter.....	123-8	113-9	115-2	104-4	98-2	134-0	446-9	300-3	291-1	385-1	441-2	269-1	163-6			
Factory cheese.....																
Boots and shoes production.....	138-1	152-7	125-5	130-4	149-5	196-3	205-7	177-8	143-1	129-6	127-6	122-7				
Textiles.....	183-7	180-3	174-3	182-4	164-3	159-5	142-7	148-0	138-0	153-7	167-6	168-1				
Cotton consumption.....	177-0	180-8	156-6	206-1	202-8	199-2	170-0	177-0	176-3	197-8	187-6	181-2	160-7			
Forestry.....	117-0	131-0	129-8	145-6	132-6	123-2	127-5	126-9	134-2	133-5	123-0	113-9	121-1			
Newspaper.....	107-3	114-3	113-6	121-5	118-9	114-1	123-6	130-4	127-5	123-4	107-9	94-1	95-4			
Iron and steel.....	197-9	221-4	248-6	287-5	269-4	244-3	238-4	241-9	240-3	220-2	232-9	211-2	247-0			
Steel production.....	200-4	200-9	209-5	222-7	234-9	232-1	220-8	242-0	239-2	232-3	236-7	267-4	272-2			
Pig-iron production.....	183-4	172-4	167-2	188-3	270-8	227-2	230-5	243-3	239-1	265-9	266-7	264-0	274-2			
Non-metallic minerals.....	126-8	139-6	136-7	148-7	130-1	128-5	158-9	126-5	124-6	124-3	181-8	124-0	125-7			
Coke production.....	129-2	140-5	143-6	142-6	134-3	132-1	131-2	127-6	128-2	134-5	135-3	138-7	140-2			
Construction.....	286-6	130-7	145-0	166-4	145-9	139-6	184-4	125-8	103-6	153-2	145-0	97-5	159-6			
Contracts awarded.....	330-5	123-2	137-4	163-5	133-3	115-1	202-6	118-4	98-8	152-7	144-3	100-5	173-4			
Building permits.....	123-5	155-1	169-6	173-1	188-4	179-1	115-2	149-6	118-8	152-0	144-7	84-5	106-6			
Cost of construction.....	119-3	119-7	120-9	121-4	121-3	121-3	121-7	122-4	122-9	123-6	123-7	123-7	123-6			
Electric power.....	123-3	130-8	126-1	136-2	137-4	137-5	138-9	142-9	137-6	141-7	144-3	146-1	146-6			
Distribution.....	112-9	117-6	114-9	112-4	110-2	111-4	115-1	125-3	121-6	120-7	118-5	119-0	118-4			
Trade employment.....	121-8	121-2	122-0	123-2	123-9	123-4	122-3	123-5	118-2	123-5	118-2	117-8	117-6			
Carloadings.....	133-9	139-6	128-0	119-1	120-6	124-4	138-8	149-6	140-4	136-2	140-3	142-3	141-7			
Producers' Goods.....	159-9	160-5	163-7	165-5	151-7	154-0	162-4	160-9	154-5	157-7	162-0	153-5	166-4			
Consumers' Goods.....	114-8	118-0	121-5	134-7	119-7	118-2	122-3	118-5	114-8	115-3	119-8	110-5	101-8			
Grain and Live Stock																
Marketings.....	217-0	265-9	95-3	55-2	113-3	81-3	129-4	136-3	93-9	81-6	84-8	83-7	88-6			
Grain marketings.....	242-7	302-7	93-7	40-1	116-0	75-6	129-3	110-4	70-6	74-9	84-2	84-3	82-8			
Wheat.....	334-8	487-1	125-2	45-3	174-6	119-2	209-6	158-2	98-8	119-1	136-0	133-7	130-4			
Oats.....	126-6	155-8	164-9	180-7	142-1	66-9	76-7	145-7	78-0	35-5	49-0	68-1	20-7			
Barley.....	140-7	256-3	232-8	99-4	141-8	72-9	116-7	158-4	117-8	71-1	62-6	82-1	86-7			
Rye.....	467-2	572-6	383-7	197-5	262-6	92-3	108-5	248-2	192-5	93-9	72-5	85-6	73-2			
Live Stock Marketings.....	105-3	122-0	102-2	120-8	101-3	106-1	129-8	112-3	100-9	110-8	87-0	80-9	113-8			
Cattle.....	103-0	114-0	97-8	106-6	90-3	100-1	132-9	125-4	109-5	113-0	88-1	78-7	116-5			
Calves.....	109-6	124-1	110-5	123-8	106-6	93-1	108-5	96-7	83-2	128-9	107-1	104-7	124-1			
Hogs.....	120-5	152-9	116-4	168-6	138-1	127-1	129-0	91-2	95-4	117-2	97-2	96-3	122-8			
Sheep.....	67-0	93-5	92-4	109-6	89-9	115-7	114-4	70-5	55-5	64-6	32-0	41-7	61-3			
Cold Storage Holdings.....	121-4	112-6	117-4	121-3	137-4	141-8	147-2	148-1	149-1	167-0	166-3	173-4	137-3			
Eggs.....	119-8	121-6	119-8	101-6	86-6	97-5	130-7	187-8	346-2	455-1	362-1	269-1	250-8			
Butter.....	124-6	108-6	108-3	113-8	117-1	119-5	129-3	116-7	116-6	132-9	142-8	136-0	84-3			
Cheese.....	119-0	86-2	95-3	101-9	122-7	145-0	133-2	110-8	89-5	110-2	177-8	266-6	214-2			
Beef.....	117-0	129-8	122-5	119-9	137-5	144-0	140-8	161-7	153-7	132-5	91-2	88-9	90-0			
Pork.....	123-7	129-4	126-8	159-7	207-4	198-9	207-4	208-6	175-1	177-8	144-1	138-8	107-8			
Mutton.....	135-8	197-0	270-6	187-4	113-6	105-0	101-9	111-0	118-0	129-9	120-2	142-1	129-8			
Poultry.....	103-3	98-5	101-7	135-9	184-3	139-0	150-6	147-8	143-6	143-2	161-0	178-5	183-6			
Lard.....	207-9	147-1	160-5	138-6	183-0	282-5	265-8	251-2	259-7	296-5	300-8	320-9	354-0			
Veal.....	150-2	154-6	151-6	160-4	169-8	190-7	180-1	197-4	171-8	177-5	123-9	117-9	121-3			
Employment and Payrolls																
June 1, 1941=100																
All Industries.....	100-0	102-9	105-0	106-4	108-4	109-6	110-4	108-4	108-2	108-0	108-0	109-5	112-3			
Employment.....	100-0	103-9	106-9	109-8	113-3	117-3	119-5	112-3	118-5	119-4	121-6	124-0	125-6			
Aggregate payrolls.....	\$	25-25	25-49	25-60	26-04	26-37	27-02	27-32	27-65	27-65	28-41	28-60	28-24			
Per capita earnings.....																
Manufacturing.....	100-0	102-6	105-2	108-0	110-1	111-6	112-1	111-4	113-8	116-5	118-7	120-4	122-6			
Employment.....	100-0	103-6	107-3	110-8	115-4	120-4	123-4	114-6	126-3	130-2	134-3	137-4	137-9			
Aggregate payrolls.....	\$	25-57	25-82	26-06	26-22	26-80	27-59	28-15	28-32	28-39	28-58	28-94	29-19			
Per capita earnings.....																

¹ Statistics of External Trade discontinued for the duration of the war.² Receipts at Country Elevators.

I. Analytical and General

2. BUSINESS BY ECONOMIC AREAS¹

Item	1941							1942					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
CANADA—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	85,748	31,955	36,124	39,364	29,083	22,890	19,110	12,881	11,052	17,850	22,512	23,895	46,756
Building permits.....\$000	11,083	12,905	12,852	12,579	13,137	11,729	8,391	6,433	4,408	6,972	11,296	9,251	9,979
Electric power, 000,000 K. W. H.	2,560	2,661	2,640	2,866	3,140	3,184	3,221	3,226	2,864	3,221	3,083	3,175	3,043
Employment average, 1926=100	157.4	160.6	162.7	165.8	167.6	168.8	165.8	165.4	165.1	165.2	167.4	171.7	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	4,241	3,242	3,150	3,300	3,827	3,427	3,687	3,281	2,893	4,177	3,733	3,791	3,767
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	33,319	32,199	29,135	33,546	41,305	44,470	46,536	42,660	38,938	35,375	35,078	43,086	43,357
MARITIME PROVINCES—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	2,633	4,460	6,411	3,859	4,344	1,734	2,794	797	963	933	2,528	1,172	2,403
Building permits.....\$000	450	599	2,711	510	486	1,627	514	124	170	360	437	225	.....
Electric power, 000,000 K. W. H.	84	87	84	88	94	94	99	95	77	86	89	86	85
Employment average, 1926=100	163.9	164.2	164.1	175.4	179.6	188.1	183.9	178.8	159.3	155.6	158.7	166.1	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	1,174	907	926	845	85.2	80.0	77.7	105.5	85.6	91.7	87.6	.....	.....
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	2,453	2,530	2,477	2,344	3,151	3,038	3,507	2,734	2,600	2,646	2,709	3,245	3,470
QUEBEC—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	64,436	9,987	8,882	11,197	8,745	5,935	6,408	5,482	3,877	8,585	5,647	7,212	19,408
Building permits.....\$000	2,655	2,636	2,491	3,015	3,272	3,821	2,381	1,488	1,029	1,545	3,084	2,326	2,005
Electric power, 000,000 K. W. H.	1,330	1,405	1,368	1,561	1,723	1,761	1,736	1,748	1,550	1,766	1,715	1,794	1,749
Employment average, 1926=100	161.8	167.6	169.9	173.9	177.1	179.3	175.0	176.8	177.9	176.8	177.9	182.8	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	1,174	907	926	845	1,016	954	1,087	940	826	1,132	1,002	1,055	876
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	9,167	8,556	7,790	8,927	11,249	12,204	11,932	11,631	10,311	9,774	9,070	9,850	10,426
ONTARIO—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	14,504	12,249	14,136	13,346	9,968	10,335	5,640	4,075	3,717	4,982	10,513	9,473	16,030
Building permits.....\$000	5,302	6,431	4,983	6,677	6,454	4,948	3,772	3,535	2,274	3,027	4,701	4,379	5,855
Electric power, 000,000 K. W. H.	774	787	796	802	861	869	910	899	859	906	850	868	820
Employment average, 1926=100	165.8	166.5	169.2	172.4	173.0	174.0	172.7	173.3	174.4	174.8	175.9	178.5	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	2,046	1,426	1,383	1,536	1,661	1,604	1,682	1,517	1,344	2,154	1,895	1,887	1,889
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	15,226	14,206	12,518	14,829	18,536	19,678	21,167	19,797	17,472	15,525	16,690	19,580	19,972
PRAIRIE PROVINCES—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	2,727	3,255	4,071	9,435	4,646	3,954	2,042	1,510	1,874	1,599	1,871	2,707	5,159
Building permits.....\$000	1,533	1,940	1,629	1,368	1,449	1,468	737	426	406	734	1,335	1,411	1,311
Electric power, 000,000 K. W. H.	183	178	175	206	238	239	251	251	223	233	215	212	189
Employment average, 1926=100	132.5	135.6	136.1	134.3	136.1	135.5	131.4	126.8	126.1	127.2	130.9	137.4	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	650	622	547	540	648	567	620	500	435	529	537	536	586
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	4,565	4,541	4,282	5,058	5,588	6,570	6,258	5,791	5,658	5,031	4,816	7,083	6,270
BRITISH COLUMBIA—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	1,448	2,024	2,623	1,528	1,380	931	3,225	1,018	621	1,752	1,954	3,332	3,756
Building permits.....\$000	1,454	1,283	1,038	1,105	1,476	765	913	569	1,497	1,315	698	584	.....
Electric power, 000,000 K. W. H.	189	204	214	209	224	221	225	225	205	230	214	215	200
Employment average, 1926=100	139.2	146.6	149.8	149.4	149.4	144.5	142.6	140.5	143.1	149.6	158.8	161.9	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	275.3	210.7	213.4	200.9	218.1	207.4	208.2	196.5	209.8	255.7	214.2	220.4	229.3
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	1,908	2,366	2,068	2,388	2,781	2,980	3,444	2,707	2,988	2,399	2,393	3,328	3,219
PORTAL STATISTICS—													
Money Orders Sold..... No. 000	1,336	1,254	1,249	1,364	1,510	1,581	1,937	1,402	1,328	1,678	1,494	1,434	.....
Value.....\$000	14,717	14,275	14,605	16,579	19,287	19,844	21,893	16,082	15,411	22,095	17,710	17,181	.....

¹ Employment as at first of following month.

3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY, 1942

Item	April		May					June				July
	18	25	2	9	16	23	30	6	13	20	27	4
Statistics of Grain Trade												
RECEIVE COUNTRY ELEVATORS—												
Wheat.....000 bushels.....	1,545	1,514	1,358	992	1,367	1,919	2,002	2,115	3,197	2,747	1,886	2,060
Oats.....000 bushels.....	172	167	167	139	164	203	178	197	309	312	235	252
Barley.....000 bushels.....	83	81	86	57	81	103	96	93	181	187	147	145
Flax.....000 bushels.....	14	15	11	6	6	13	7	11	26	21	12	18
Rye.....000 bushels.....	16	16	10	7	14	16	14	17	13	20	10	16
VISIBLE SUPPLY—												
Wheat.....000,000 bushels.....	447.3	441.9	436.2	432.3	424.3	420.6	419.0	413.5	410.9	408.5	407.0	405.6
Oats.....000 bushels.....	5,814	5,512	5,007	4,526	4,209	3,904	3,691	3,550	3,676	3,460	3,421	3,409
Barley.....000 bushels.....	9,857	9,519	9,109	8,759	8,304	7,915	7,525	7,138	6,809	6,639	6,443	6,096
Flax.....000 bushels.....	1,779	1,653	1,541	1,500	1,429	1,291	1,213	1,198	1,203	1,180	1,075	1,085
Rye.....000 bushels.....	3,999	3,556	3,659	3,653	3,412	3,370	3,338	3,318	3,247	3,196	3,151	3,168
AVER. CASE PRICE FORT WILLIAM AND PORT ARTHUR—Cents and eighths of a cent.												
Wheat No. 1 Man. Nor. per bush.....	79	79/1	79/2	79/2	79/2	79/2	79/4	79/6	79/7	80/1	80/2	80/3
Oats, No. 2 C.W....."	51/1	51/3	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4
Barley No. 3 C.W....."	62/5	62/5	62/6	62/7	64	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6
Rye No. 2 C.W....."	64/2	63/7	62/4	63/5	63/4	61/5	61/6	57/6	55/4	56/3	55/5	54/7

I. Analytical and General—Continued

3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY—Concluded

Item	Apr.		May					June				July	
	25	2	9	16	23	30	6	13	20	27	4		
Sales and Prices of Live Stock—													
SALES ON STOCKYARDS—													
Cattle.....No.	13,332	15,466	14,813	12,586	11,556	9,613	12,232	11,950	12,458	12,813	14,148		
Calves....."	11,906	12,499	14,664	12,813	12,653	12,383	11,867	13,015	11,886	11,919	11,265		
Hogs....."	18,311	18,582	19,543	17,093	18,208	14,731	17,251	15,501	16,912	14,819	13,759		
Sheep....."	733	789	993	1,012	1,265	1,511	1,767	2,648	3,897	4,067	5,045		
PRICES AT TORONTO—													
Steers, medium.....per cwt. \$	9-92	10-24	10-30	10-25	10-84	11-18	11-14	11-95	12-11	12-49	11-37		
Calves, good veal....." \$	14-25	14-37	14-17	13-97	14-35	14-50	14-66	14-35	14-24	14-25	14-25		
Hogs, B 1 dressed....." \$	15-18	15-25	15-25	15-21	15-25	15-33	15-35	15-46	15-56	15-60	15-65		
Lambs, good handyweights...." \$	12-96	13-00	13-00	13-50	13-50	14-00	14-00	12-00	17-00	16-46	16-50		
Carloadings—													
Grain and grain products.....	9,351	11,324	11,188	10,503	10,916	10,812	10,745	9,210	9,660	10,051	8,524		
Live stock.....	1,996	2,063	1,902	1,577	1,593	1,523	1,620	1,562	1,483	1,625	1,753		
Coal.....	4,887	4,633	4,644	4,374	4,269	3,977	4,451	4,263	4,872	5,045	4,839		
Coke.....	464	498	565	503	506	559	581	528	522	538	563		
Lumber.....	3,203	3,473	3,343	3,754	3,942	3,786	4,217	4,162	4,174	4,568	3,972		
Pulpwood.....	959	1,030	1,249	1,522	2,042	2,259	2,838	3,013	2,367	2,551	2,581		
Pulp and paper.....	3,176	2,964	2,929	2,861	3,014	2,787	2,916	2,999	2,950	2,816	2,459		
Other forest products.....	1,542	1,512	1,641	1,603	1,645	1,477	1,572	2,054	1,887	1,934	1,372		
Ore.....	4,580	4,547	5,122	4,861	4,922	4,899	4,963	4,800	4,711	4,591	4,369		
Mdee. L.C.L.....	15,843	15,537	15,424	15,068	14,942	13,324	14,697	14,642	14,467	14,528	12,912		
Miscellaneous.....	17,801	18,545	18,683	18,601	18,268	17,983	18,829	18,155	19,028	19,059	17,024		
Total cars loaded.....	63,802	66,126	66,690	65,257	66,059	63,386	67,539	65,388	66,121	67,336	60,368		
Total cars received from connections.....	32,723	32,935	31,725	31,934	32,315	31,684	31,341	33,649	34,630	35,804	37,319		
INDEXES OF CARLOADINGS, 1935-1939=100—													
Grain and grain products.....	144-3	182-0	194-9	199-1	224-9	264-5	251-4	221-1	218-0	214-4	188-1		
Live stock.....	127-0	149-0	143-5	115-9	125-2	130-7	138-6	164-8	153-4	149-2	100-1		
Coal.....	126-3	98-2	89-4	80-8	73-6	73-9	70-2	80-1	88-8	94-9	99-1		
Coke.....	123-1	135-7	147-1	130-6	126-0	153-6	171-9	145-9	145-0	148-6	158-6		
Lumber.....	181-9	195-9	173-5	191-1	195-6	190-8	194-1	183-5	189-1	191-0	187-4		
Pulpwood.....	121-1	119-2	120-4	127-0	163-4	170-9	220-7	214-1	156-3	177-4	203-2		
Pulp and paper.....	144-5	142-2	138-5	133-5	145-0	149-6	152-6	147-2	142-2	151-1	151-1		
Other forest products.....	110-5	109-2	121-7	109-7	107-2	98-8	98-6	106-1	100-9	105-1	94-5		
Ore.....	228-1	202-2	238-0	210-4	229-7	248-1	214-8	203-4	212-5	195-9	218-5		
Merchandise.....	117-0	113-5	113-8	113-4	112-6	115-5	114-1	114-4	112-7	112-7	115-6		
Miscellaneous.....	144-3	143-9	145-1	144-8	145-3	150-2	151-6	153-8	163-6	156-7	159-0		
Eastern Division.....	148-7	142-7	140-6	135-7	132-3	142-3	139-9	131-4	132-5	132-9	140-8		
Western Division.....	128-8	144-6	148-8	143-2	154-4	163-4	169-0	162-3	167-1	162-4	143-0		
Total for Canada.....	136-2	138-5	138-7	133-7	135-4	144-6	144-8	143-7	145-5	144-4	145-4		
Industrial Material Prices, 1926=100.....													
Canadian Farm Products, 1926=100.....	79-9	79-8	79-8	80-0	80-5	81-0	81-2	81-7	81-9	83-1	.....	
Sensitive Prices ¹.....1926=100.....	77-0	77-0	77-0	77-0	77-1	76-9	76-7	76-7	76-7	77-0	.....	
Montreal Stock Exchange—average—													
Utilities (10).....	40-3	39-7	40-1	41-3	40-7	41-0	42-3	43-8	44-7	43-3	42-8		
Industrials (20).....	55-2	55-4	55-5	56-3	56-1	56-2	56-7	57-8	58-2	56-4	55-7		
Paper (10).....	58-10	57-66	57-23	56-19	56-90	55-15	57-34	59-96	60-31	57-26	54-11		
Toronto Stock Exchange—average—													
Industrials (20).....	80-81	81-07	80-88	83-49	83-88	83-54	84-46	86-43	87-42	84-03	83-50		
Gold (20).....	61-82	63-24	61-73	67-19	67-11	66-59	70-87	71-85	70-52	65-56	66-23		
Base metals (10).....	61-62	61-95	62-03	63-76	63-66	62-57	63-47	63-20	63-22	61-77	60-53		
Western oils (15).....	16-38	16-12	16-06	16-10	16-09	16-15	16-52	16-59	16-46	16-40	16-10		

¹ Source: Wood Gundy & Co. Ltd.

I. Analytical and General—Concluded

4. ENTRIES OF AUTOMOBILES INTO CANADA BY PORTS VIA THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY ON TRAVELLERS' VEHICLE PERMITS.

Economic Areas	1941							1942						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Maritime Provinces	7 630	13 301	15 650	6 153	4 536	3 026	1 374	809	631	860	1 927	2 956	2 709	
Quebec	24 032	46 621	55 583	23 007	16 116	10 751	5 575	4 027	2 640	4 241	6 488	9 856	8 485	
Ontario	84 740	164 190	188 808	76 837	47 152	33 078	22 414	11 784	10 162	14 113	24 612	38 575	40 477	
Manitoba	2 056	3 540	3 375	1 483	921	610	416	255	198	214	287	361	975	
Saskatchewan	1 069	1 474	1 310	784	451	224	157	78	49	73	143	348	538	
Alberta	1 029	5 714	4 842	965	369	251	191	96	73	92	185	196	450	
British Columbia	9 414	17 594	18 253	7 776	4 737	3 792	3 603	2 512	2 759	2 711	4 180	6 119	5 048	
Total	130 870	252 434	287 621	117 005	74 282	51 732	33 730	19 561	16 512	22 304	37 822	58 715	58 683	

4A. COMMERCIAL FAILURES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS

Branches of Business	1941										1942			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	
Trade	45	39	46	37	29	28	32	38	39	43	37	31	31	
Manufactures	10	11	7	8	16	8	11	14	10	14	10	11	7	
Agriculture	7	3	3		1	1	4	3	4	1	2	1	1	
Logging, Fishing, Trapping	1													
Mining	1		2	2	1	2				1		1	1	
Construction	2	6	5	5	4	5	6	6	4	3	3	4	7	
Transportation	2		1	1		2	1	1	2		2	1		
Finance		2			1			1					1	
Service	18	18	16	11	17	16	13	17	16	19	16	11	12	
Unclassified	8	4	4	8	9	5	4	6	4	3	5	6	5	
Total	94	83	84	72	78	67	71	86	79	84	75	66	65	

5. CANADIAN FAILURES AS REPORTED IN DUN'S STATISTICAL REVIEW

Province	1941							1942					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Prince Edward Isl.	1		2		2	1		1			1		1
Nova Scotia	2	1	2	1	3		2	1	1	2	1	1	
New Brunswick	1			1	3	4	2	1	4	1	1		
Quebec	34	32	35	26	26	36	40	44	37	30	31	26	23
Ontario	16	10	17	9	12	13	17	17	15	13	3	11	10
Manitoba	5	3	2	1	2	7	4	3	2	4	3	3	2
Saskatchewan	10	7	7	6	8	13	9	4	4	4	4	10	6
Alberta	3	2	2	1		4	3	1	1	1	2	1	3
British Columbia	1	3			1	2	2	3		1		1	
Total Canada	72	58	67	45	57	80	78	77	64	56	46	53	46

II. Production

6. GENERAL MANUFACTURES

Classification	1941								1942				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Flour Milling													
Wheat.....000 bush.	9,444	9,414	9,440	8,230	7,416	7,142	7,449	7,080	7,021	7,081	8,025	8,689	6,624
Oats.....	1,328	814	1,262	1,523	2,040	2,249	2,147	1,670	1,445	880	914	811	747
Corn.....	158.9	208.1	178.4	197.3	265.3	281.8	316.8	214.0	218.4	182.3	116.0	204.9	169.1
Barley.....	178.9	162.4	178.7	246.2	309.9	237.1	311.6	290.4	280.9	239.1	302.7	256.0	229.7
Mixed grain "	1,870	1,575	1,641	1,757	2,439	2,511	2,868	2,837	2,623	2,173	2,209	2,135	187.1
MILL PRODUCTION													
Wheat flour, percent-													
age of operation ..	94.3	96.9	93.5	82.3	74.6	69.9	79.4	71.5	71.3	73.5	77.7	87.5	67.0
Quantity.....000 bbls.	2,121	2,118	2,117	1,853	1,648	1,596	1,665	1,577	1,556	1,585	1,807	1,961	148.1
Exports.....	1,340.7	1,750.9	1,921.7	1,436.6	661.0	441.1	589.5	930.2	750.4	1,056.3	899.3	1,128.0	921.8
Oatmeal.....000 lbs.	1,623.0	948.0	1,077.6	180.4	232.6	411.5	357.7	250.4	268.8	245.0	271.8	282.9	134.1
Rollod oats.....	14,511	7,009	14,927	15,993	25,746	29,365	29,540	19,762	16,825	7,896	6,602	5,149	524.8
Corn flour, meal "	808	1,426	1,273	2,020	2,048	1,947	2,510	1,372	1,750	1,171	943	1,204	113.1

II. Production—Concluded

Classification	1941							1942					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Contracts on Canadian account placed by Dept. of Munitions and Supply. \$000	72,154	118,428	89,186	57,648	121,777	51,936	96,942	88,112	71,558	79,889	99,741	95,146	.....
Tobacco Released for Consumption													
Tobacco, cut, 000 lbs.	2,079	2,231	2,158	2,207	2,220	2,069	1,791	1,794	1,661	1,653	1,830	2,082	2,094
plug.....	235-0	266-9	243-1	277-6	269-3	234-8	232-1	247-5	256-6	275-8	256-9	277-4	262-8
Canadian raw leaf "	255-8	246-9	286-5	514-8	434-0	303-4	298-3	199-1	223-0	234-7	248-2	254-3	293-9
Cigarettes..... mn	665-1	772-2	816-7	806-0	844-3	753-9	720-0	747-7	775-7	785-8	767-5	771-5	787-4
Cigars..... 000	15,322	15,610	14,914	16,964	18,898	19,567	18,888	14,131	14,688	17,230	16,013	15,945	17,441
Snuff..... lbs.	88,642	63,502	74,014	81,975	80,585	71,671	70,137	77,670	75,616	74,631	80,126	79,012	73,060
Boots and Shoes 000 pairs													
LEATHER OR FABRIC UPPERS													
Wells	601-0	570-6	641-6	642-0	689-6	642-3	596-7	614-6	626-3	686-3	693-2	717-7	.....
McKays and all imitation wells.	572-9	643-9	657-7	678-0	634-5	569-3	547-5	518-2	563-2	631-6	556-1	570-0	.....
Nailed, pegged, screw or wire fastened.	149-1	159-1	165-7	186-7	185-8	168-0	148-1	150-2	170-3	158-6	155-6	159-3	.....
Stitchdowns.....	385-1	352-7	215-4	254-2	300-7	336-4	364-5	295-9	277-1	323-7	294-7	269-7	.....
Total.....	2,439	2,422	2,412	2,453	2,480	2,344	2,250	2,217	2,365	2,576	2,42-7	2,42-6	.....
TOTAL FOOTWEAR	778-4	844-0	817-2	869-2	907-1	851-2	855-3	779-4	801-6	865-5	844-1	821-5	.....
Men's and youths'.	127-0	129-3	129-7	146-2	147-1	146-6	130-2	96-2	106-9	112-3	105-3	108-4	.....
Women's.....	1,368-2	1,380-2	1,501-9	1,467-3	1,478-6	1,377-8	1,204-4	1,107-5	1,247-9	1,432-3	1,350-9	1,378-2	.....
Misses' and Child ren's.	362-6	378-7	362-0	388-6	426-0	398-6	392-1	332-8	326-4	357-4	327-3	340-2	.....
Babies' and infants'.	145-1	151-5	154-8	156-0	181-9	161-4	155-1	148-1	143-3	154-0	146-5	168-2	.....
Total.....	2,781	2,884	2,966	3,027	3,142	2,936	2,736	2,464	2,626	2,922	2,774	2,816	.....
Cotton bales opened.													
No. 000 lbs.	82,792	35,140	29,857	35,165	39,499	34,450	33,411	34,885	34,048	39,567	36,687	34,907	36,518
Stocks 000 tons	15,916	16,908	14,595	17,126	18,341	16,648	16,151	16,833	16,702	16,192	17,864	17,065	14,970
Newsprint production 000 tons	273-70	293-48	293-1	298-3	318-8	300-31	300-82	311-90	278-10	295-84	277-74	251-83	242-76
Stocks 000 tons	165-90	159-15	155-21	148-48	162-58	142-03	123-57	143-48	156-96	144-63	184-02	169-41	.....
B.C. timber scaled, Mil. bd. ft.	355-2	244-1	322-5	290-7	292-2	323-0	226-3	154-4	208-6	283-2	288-0	338-3	298-0
Advertising Linage	23,655	19,926	20,285	21,816	25,897	24,772	25,874	19,873	21,360	21,988	22,088	.....	.....
Dairy Production Creamery butter 000 lbs.	40,591	39,157	35,460	32,277	24,964	14,985	12,164	10,702	9,411	11,662	17,029	29,168	41,412
Factory cheese 000 tons	25,989	25,223	23,725	20,101	15,185	7,229	6,125	4,409	3,707	5,577	11,558	24,276	32,839
Condensed milk 000 lbs.	2,334	2,918	2,893	2,730	2,746	2,407	1,637	1,048	836	1,200	2,398	2,518	2,168
Evaporated milk 000 lbs.	21,832	18,850	17,393	14,875	12,227	9,342	7,573	7,027	7,939	12,660	16,605	22,356	24,066
Iron, Gold and Silver													
Pig iron production, net tons	125,791	114,246	118,490	125,168	153,568	149,783	166,182	163,156	143,973	167,116	160,408	171,386	167,961
Ferro-alloys production, net tons	16,463	19,711	18,201	18,941	18,826	19,127	19,986	18,004	17,358	20,261	18,128	19,428	14,664
Steelingots and castings, net tons	209,623	220,994	227,076	224,626	249,595	247,931	244,844	257,069	245,689	265,903	264,988	272,247	254,163
Gold, mint receipts 000 oz	406	453	431	398	444	415	402	442	345	377	420	394	399
Silver " " 000 oz	61	67	62	60	66	63	55	64	52	53	60	55	56

¹ This figure includes stocks held in warehouses but still belonging to mills, as well as regular mill stocks.

² As reported by 60 Canadian daily newspapers representing more than 85 per cent of total newspaper circulation in Canada in thousand lines.

7. MINERAL PRODUCTION

Classification	1941								1942					
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	
Mineral Production—														
METALS—														
Gold.....	000 oz.	449-2	454-0	456-6	467-2	445-0	461-2	443-0	421-3	406-0	376-0	439-0	420-7	425-2
Silver.....	000 oz.	1,902	2,058	1,852	1,660	1,627	1,640	1,681	1,722	1,538	1,478	1,606	161-3	1,624
FUELS—														
Coal.....	000 tons	1,198	1,176	1,187	1,357	1,593	1,868	1,825	1,795	1,898	1,693	1,600	1,510	1,300
Coke.....	000 tons	260	245	259	266	263	276	270	282	278	253	286	270	277
Petroleum.....	000 bbls.	843-1	818-0	876-8	870-9	878-8	871-5	885-9	883-0	875-6	850-4	922-9	846-6	892-5
Natural gas.....	000 Mcu. ft.	2,677	2,080	1,957	1,989	2,447	3,010	3,985	4,829	5,188	4,676	4,471	3,676	3,077
Non-Metals—														
Gypsum.....	000 tons	141	159	162	146	216	200	171	175	76	53	61	76	75
Feldspar.....	tons	1,676	1,768	2,443	2,335	1,786	1,667	.....	.....	1,606	1,512	1,606	1,581	1,953
Salt (commercial).....	tons	25,231	28,426	33,374	24,598	25,422	33,593	31,577	23,778	19,874	21,722	20,096	23,997	27,082
STRUCTURAL MATERIALS—														
Cement.....	000 bbls.	861	959	944	878	1,009	1,043	663	369	283	299	400	620	790
Clay products.....	\$000	646	666	651	647	701	713	637	481	347	295	452	456	547
Lime.....	tons	71,606	74,258	73,363	72,102	72,867	78,027	70,656	73,261	72,913	66,436	73,816	73,850	73,999

*Sold or used.

8. OUTPUT OF CENTRAL ELECTRIC STATIONS KWH.

	1941							1942						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	
PRODUCTION (NET):														
Hydraulic.....	2512669	2610972	2589376	2816486	3081329	3117533	3147922	3151183	2799057	3152382	3023161	3116547	2988143	
Thermal.....	47,391	50,173	50,708	50,161	58,988	66,449	72,878	75,106	65,381	68,571	59,579	58,217	55,057	
Total.....	2560060	2661145	2640084	2866647	3140317	3183982	3220800	3226280	2864438	3220953	3082740	3174764	3043200	
NET PROVINCIAL CONSUMPTION (FIRM AND SECONDARY POWER):														
Prince Edward Island.....	599	589	648	697	755	896	966	961	900	756	795	694	688	
Nova Scotia.....	37,896	37,917	39,257	39,231	41,954	42,809	43,578	45,478	41,834	42,776	42,128	40,927	38,423	
New Brunswick.....	44,265	46,883	42,738	46,306	49,997	47,316	50,802	46,535	32,250	40,625	44,157	42,605	43,885	
Quebec.....	1018405	1081973	1040184	1205630	1317023	1374085	1337406	1377103	1177612	1354689	1320742	1392318	1357816	
Ontario.....	900,216	914,951	937,828	975,415	1057489	1058705	1097888	1073859	1103169	1030410	1045701	1001696		
Manitoba.....	113,078	104,074	105,814	130,510	154,055	152,603	159288	160,683	142,974	147,546	134,624	132,690	107,415	
Saskatchewan.....	46,827	49,215	49,597	49,670	53,369	54,764	58,131	56,503	50,427	54,244	50,738	48,547	49,047	
Alberta.....	25,231	26,686	27,048	28,451	32,680	33,720	36,149	38,479	34,170	35,794	34,436	34,292	35,046	
British Columbia.....	186,889	201,604	211,370	206,783	221,678	219,218	223,234	220,159	200,343	224,944	208,355	211,380	196,169	
Total.....	2373016	2463712	2452484	2682993	2943739	2984126	3006539	3019759	2688302	3004543	2866385	2949154	2831188	
DAILY AVERAGE CONSUMPTION OF FIRM POWER IN CANADA:														
Prince Edward Island.....	20	19	21	23	24	30	31	31	32	24	26	22	23	
Nova Scotia.....	1,244	1,214	1,258	1,301	1,353	1,422	1,406	1,467	1,494	1,373	1,397	1,312	1,281	
New Brunswick.....	1,313	1,408	1,341	1,464	1,557	1,474	1,514	1,429	1,152	1,272	1,310	1,243	1,288	
Quebec.....	31,006	30,646	31,262	34,805	36,542	37,029	37,554	41,016	39,784	40,059	40,525	39,300	40,055	
Ontario.....	27,196	26,157	27,869	30,400	31,693	32,413	32,416	31,554	32,785	32,466	31,584	31,292	31,263	
Manitoba.....	2,832	2,671	2,776	2,927	3,108	3,259	2,984	3,269	3,164	3,070	2,975	2,981	2,792	
Saskatchewan.....	1,562	1,588	1,600	1,656	1,722	1,826	1,878	1,823	1,801	1,750	1,691	1,566	1,635	
Alberta.....	841	861	873	948	1,054	1,124	1,166	1,241	1,220	1,155	1,148	1,106	1,168	
British Columbia.....	6,224	6,501	6,813	6,887	7,144	7,296	7,161	7,001	7,142	7,245	6,934	6,811	6,563	
Canada.....	72,238	72,073	73,813	80,411	84,197	85,873	86,107	88,921	88,574	88,414	87,590	85,723	86,015	

9. AUTOMOBILE SALES AND FINANCING

Classification	1941							1942					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
New Motor Vehicle Sales—													
New passenger.....No.	8,106	6,306	4,333	3,785	3,879	3,385	3,875	6,043	2,733	2,269	1,676	849	.....
Retail value.....\$000	10,602	8,250	5,541	5,035	5,276	4,671	5,267	8,425	3,754	3,027	2,344	1,156	.....
New trucks and buses.....No.	3,557	3,005	2,889	1,928	1,848	1,782	2,214	3,043	2,200	3,377	1,840	811	.....
Retail value.....\$000	4,479	3,747	3,687	2,759	2,603	2,257	3,023	3,918	3,019	4,538	2,504	1,260	.....
Total cars, trucks and buses.No.	11,665	9,311	7,222	5,713	5,727	5,167	6,089	9,086	4,933	5,646	3,516	1,660	.....
Retail value.....\$000	15,080	11,997	9,128	7,794	7,879	6,928	8,289	12,343	6,773	7,565	4,847	2,415	.....
Automobile Financing—													
TOTAL NEW AND USED CARS—													
Number.....	21,396	19,798	14,467	13,247	11,107	7,126	7,140	6,766	4,930	6,403	6,597	6,387	6,712
Percentage change.....	-1.1	+11.5	-2.8	-0.4	-14.9	-42.3	-35.0	-28.9	-55.8	-60.1	-74.4	-75.0	-68.6
Financing.....\$000	9,799	9,203	6,680	5,985	4,891	2,916	3,140	3,299	2,162	2,801	2,489	2,313	2,288
Percentage change.....	+9.4	+34.6	+15.9	+11.1	-12.4	-47.9	-43.6	-28.6	-60.3	-62.7	-79.9	-81.0	-76.7

10. UNADJUSTED INDEXES OF RETAIL AND WHOLESALE SALES 1935-1939=100

Type of Business	1941							1942						
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	
Wholesale Sales	148.6	140.6	147.1	150.6	171.3	170.5	147.4	137.4	132.2	136.1	155.1	154.5	158.6	
General Index (961) Retail	143.1	133.8	123.4	134.1	137.3	152.4	146.6	201.6	128.2	120.1	144.6	154.8	159.4	
Boots and shoes	142.8	155.5	114.7	114.1	132.3	133.1	128.8	203.4	114.1	89.5	139.4	169.2	166.6	
Candy	130.3	89.6	101.9	128.6	118.4	133.1	131.4	301.8	118.5	161.8	125.7	188.6	146.0	
Clothing, men's	135.5	137.5	111.8	114.1	128.6	108.3	174.9	243.8	114.0	104.1	168.4	189.1	159.9	
Clothing, women's	142.1	133.2	111.0	120.4	134.6	164.2	155.5	224.4	116.3	96.6	149.5	184.0	166.8	
Departmental	134.4	123.7	102.2	120.4	139.0	160.0	155.4	239.2	115.2	107.4	141.1	144.9	142.6	
Drugs	126.8	122.8	128.0	132.2	131.0	141.6	134.4	132.6	136.6	139.8	142.0	143.4	144.3	
Furniture	174.3	131.5	115.3	138.8	140.1	137.9	100.5	134.8	91.6	106.2	111.9	129.0	162.3	
Groceries and meats	146.9	139.5	132.7	146.1	133.9	146.4	143.7	161.9	150.4	141.7	153.3	157.5	170.1	
Hardware	169.0	153.9	149.3	149.6	157.2	164.4	139.0	170.1	106.0	95.7	122.0	149.0	176.1	
Radio and electrical	167.4	138.9	134.5	136.9	157.6	151.3	115.4	169.9	126.0	110.2	126.9	134.7	153.9	
Restaurants	119.2	114.4	124.9	134.4	129.9	129.8	126.2	139.4	129.7	120.6	139.9	141.6	144.5	
Variety	159.8	153.4	152.2	158.9	182.5	173.0	178.2	341.6	129.8	129.0	148.2	169.2	186.0	

III. Construction

11. BUILDING PERMITS¹ AND CONTRACTS AWARDED

Province and City	1941							1942						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Building Permits—	\$000	\$0000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	
PRINCE EDWARD ISD Charlottetown.....	10	11	20	2	6	19	1	3	2	1	3	18	.....
NOVA SCOTIA.....	328	512	582	419	394	242	472	84	82	124	230	273	190	
Halifax.....	141	171	153	195	190	85	40	41	44	45	130	156	62	
Sydney.....	67	67	46	33	106	31	242	6	28	5	31	33	36	
NEW BRUNSWICK.....	112	75	2,109	89	86	1,367	40	37	16	45	127	146	35	
Moncton.....	24	17	2,060	28	19	1,343	26	8	3	7	24	39	.....
Saint John.....	46	36	30	50	61	21	14	22	12	36	30	21	28	
QUEBEC.....	2,654	2,636	3,491	3,015	3,272	3,821	2,381	1,488	1,029	1,545	3,084	2,326	2,005	
Montreal and Mal- soutenneuve.....	1,100	812	742	975	1,308	1,527	612	845	548	767	2,069	1,027	982	
Quebec.....	297	276	181	367	184	255	134	41	65	324	81	170	149	
Shawinigan.....	81	106	217	107	44	207	994	2	21	19	80	138	52	
Sherbrooke.....	93	107	184	126	147	177	8	17	21	21	51	82	63	
Three Rivers.....	40	51	21	61	109	52	4	24	21	35	26	32	35	
Westmount.....	23	5	9	28	51	8	3	1	.....	.....	19	45	13
ONTARIO.....	5,302	6,431	4,953	6,577	6,454	4,048	3,772	3,835	2,274	3,027	4,701	4,379	5,855	
Chatham.....	35	61	14	15	126	12	23	5	21	18	32	9	23	
Hamilton.....	483	462	424	256	761	276	423	505	281	142	519	321	283	
Kingston.....	134	134	112	45	86	75	18	18	17	71	161	46	75	
Kitchener.....	243	110	77	51	105	46	27	11	16	20	98	30	66	
London.....	98	111	63	92	95	55	65	23	28	54	77	78	53	
Ottawa.....	273	310	585	982	188	117	427	512	481	87	755	238	861	
St Catharines.....	145	121	184	78	116	143	61	60	4	19	44	107	70	
Toronto.....	826	582	369	1,022	951	789	1,003	635	624	313	656	631	553	
York and East Townships.....	320	522	289	300	913	334	553	116	362	337	414	439	427	
Windsor.....	182	1,357	283	190	1,138	109	90	221	33	725	114	125	1,207	
MANITOBA.....	718	768	676	495	439	357	181	78	64	195	253	543	509	
Winnipeg.....	473	592	356	408	363	302	48	66	48	157	215	433	372	
SASKATCHEWAN.....	568	232	417	235	505	58	363	203	39	55	143	226	281	
Regina.....	336	64	257	56	57	29	32	196	16	29	87	103	52	
Saskatoon.....	33	118	9	59	377	15	18	2	9	4	18	33	10	
ALBERTA.....	548	940	575	638	505	1,054	193	144	304	484	1,437	641	520	
Calgary.....	197	183	323	232	158	196	121	91	199	198	1,022	333	266	
Edmonton.....	267	700	210	240	299	799	68	36	86	236	304	236	197	
Lethbridge.....	82	36	28	130	27	37	3	8	13	29	82	56	41	
BRITISH COLUMBIA.....	1,454	1,298	1,038	1,109	1,476	765	913	560	599	1,497	1,315	698	584	
New Westminster.....	123	63	42	71	64	63	54	41	31	26	47	87	18	
Vancouver.....	890	872	767	758	647	523	397	396	453	1,106	1,035	443	378	
Victoria.....	217	183	106	117	196	106	145	71	47	60	54	74	108	
Total.....	11,693	12,905	12,852	12,579	13,137	11,729	8,391	6,433	4,408	6,972	11,296	9,251	9,979	
Contracts	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	
Awarded—														
Apartments.....	537	422	333	217	260	270	64	216	46	118	104	7	178	
Residences.....	10,279	8,057	11,477	7,943	7,939	5,682	4,675	2,644	2,419	4,533	9,022	8,995	10,651	
TOTAL.....	10,816	8,479	11,810	8,160	8,199	5,953	4,739	2,861	2,465	4,650	9,127	8,972	10,830	
RESIDENTIAL.....	8,579	8,584	12,228	18,700	10,970	6,481	3,788	4,103	5,625	5,228	6,302	8,373	11,035	
TOTAL BUSINESS.....	7,013	8,091	7,718	5,582	5,444	6,634	8,785	4,591	2,319	5,173	3,749	4,631	17,931	
INDUSTRIAL.....	59,340	6,301	4,368	6,922	4,471	3,822	1,798	1,327	644	2,799	3,335	1,920	6,961	
TOTAL ENGINEERING.....	85,748	31,955	36,124	39,364	29,035	22,890	19,110	12,881	11,052	17,850	22,512	23,895	46,756	
GRAND TOTAL.....														
Prince Edward Isd.....	87	17	158	55	29	58	4	51	5	49	42	64	20	
Nova Scotia.....	1,175	2,349	2,872	3,348	3,789	916	2,009	323	813	468	1,818	609	1,577	
New Brunswick.....	1,421	2,094	3,382	457	526	761	181	424	145	416	667	499	807	
Quebec.....	64,438	9,967	8,882	11,197	8,745	5,935	6,408	5,482	3,877	8,585	5,647	7,212	19,408	
Ontario.....	14,504	12,249	14,136	13,346	9,968	10,335	5,640	4,075	3,717	4,982	10,513	9,473	16,030	
Manitoba.....	1,320	1,006	922	1,886	1,079	1,552	732	811	325	483	450	865	2,888	
Saskatchewan.....	452	754	1,121	4,322	1,743	812	424	218	490	302	476	396	1,221	
Alberta.....	954	1,496	2,029	3,028	1,824	1,590	587	481	1,059	814	945	1,446	1,050	
British Columbia.....	1,448	2,024	2,623	1,528	1,380	931	2,225	1,018	621	1,752	1,954	3,332	3,766	

¹ Dominion and provincial totals include a number of other municipalities and are not comparable prior to January 1940.² SOURCE—MacLean Building Review issued by MacLean Building Reports, Ltd., Toronto.

IV. Internal Trade

12. RECEIPTS AND VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN

Classification	1941							1942						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
*RECEIPTS COUNTRY														
ELEVATORS														
Wheat.....000 bus.	33,428	27,407	20,133	29,927	43,677	29,810	25,914	10,598	6,512	8,761	6,389	7,107	11,040	
Oats....."	2,285	2,334	2,087	6,324	6,986	2,909	1,990	3,343	2,277	1,329	816	828	1,276	
Barley....."	1,141	1,803	4,582	6,129	5,759	2,170	1,837	1,455	1,063	789	341	395	703	
Flax....."	124	136	166	854	2,184	384	304	350	219	109	47	39	84	
Rye....."	447	458	1,247	1,499	1,096	276	181	308	202	129	58	56	70	
VISIBLE SUPPLY ¹														
Wheat.....000 bus.	470,663	463,835	466,150	474,228	502,412	502,369	502,455	490,241	479,633	462,706	436,218	419,006	407,015	
Oats....."	4,555	4,262	3,979	6,813	10,305	9,519	8,047	8,543	8,151	6,699	5,007	3,691	3,421	
Barley....."	4,433	4,039	6,987	11,213	15,288	14,685	14,428	13,231	12,377	10,643	9,109	7,525	6,443	
Flax....."	637	606	507	1,014	2,919	3,032	2,140	2,204	2,072	1,810	1,541	1,215	1,076	
Rye....."	6,095	6,047	3,160	4,092	4,410	4,185	4,093	4,074	4,071	3,961	3,650	3,338	3,151	
CASH PRICES ²														
Wheat, No. 1 Nor.....	77	74 5/8	73 1/2	72 3/4	73 1/8	73 1/2	74 3/8	77	78	78	79	79 1/2	80	
Oats, No. 2 C.W.....	39 3/4	40 1/2	45 1/2	49 1/2	47 3/8	44 3/8	47	50 1/2	50	50	51 1/2	51 1/4	51 1/4	
Barley No. 2 C.W.....	51	54 1/4	50 1/4	56 1/2	57	58 1/8	64	64 1/8	64 1/8	64 1/8	64 1/8	64 1/8	64 1/8	
Flax No. 1 C.W.....	151 1/3	158 1/8	145 1/3	154 1/8	151	149 1/7	155 1/2	159 1/6	161 1/5	163 1/8	164	164	164	
Rye, No. 2 C.W.....	58 1/4	55	54 1/8	62 1/4	56 1/8	57 1/4	59 3/8	64 1/4	64 1/8	64 1/2	63 7/8	62 1/4	56 1/2	

¹First of following month. ²Cents and eighths of a cent per bushel.³Includes Interior Private and mill.

13. SALES AND SLAUGHTERINGS OF LIVE STOCK

SALES ON STOCK YDS.													
Cattle.....	56,452	71,375	78,234	105,873	107,829	91,880	77,880	78,223	51,555	61,205	56,654	48,568	63,060
Calves.....	53,867	56,275	44,430	58,285	82,275	37,059	27,505	21,780	19,451	44,494	47,992	52,513	59,790
Hogs.....	75,828	86,547	63,912	91,869	116,227	115,385	113,519	76,624	69,919	86,171	72,838	69,578	75,032
Sheep.....	18,267	35,598	43,182	64,608	80,876	52,893	29,645	12,602	6,818	8,158	3,682	4,781	17,217
INSPECTED													
SLAUGHTERINGS													
Cattle.....	72,898	82,993	88,030	98,053	117,921	109,381	86,141	92,885	71,803	75,825	65,748	68,619	72,674
Calves.....	81,182	72,589	58,932	64,622	67,380	47,755	36,154	32,085	31,398	65,495	86,422	85,244	77,385
Sheep.....	14,886	10,072	9,752	8,679	14,721	11,766	6,111	4,636	2,898	2,350	35,279	17,466	14,745
Lambs.....	25,361	54,197	76,298	98,056	156,766	99,955	54,508	46,382	36,143	38,731	1,862	2,551	19,236
Swine.....	402,302	374,159	367,270	454,913	673,485	714,531	687,299	587,500	493,908	549,310	545,195	534,102	462,904

13A. FISH CAUGHT AND LANDED

Catch.....cwt	1050600	1030000	1777500	1343600	1061300	934,600	374,300	769,072	1044900	231,740	347,300	892,300	.....
Landed.....\$	2846400	4960100	4992100	3156200	2383200	1438200	918,900	852,116	788,900	638,500	1318000	269846	.....

14. COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS AT FIRST OF MONTH IN 000 LB OR DOZ.

Commodity	1941						1942							
	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov.	Dec	Jan.	Feb	Mar.	April	May	June	July	
BUTTER—														
Creamery.....	36,116	50,551	61,660	67,814	64,132	53,624	42,719	31,750	20,362	10,617	5,879	10,033	26,611	
Dairy.....	206	321	309	237	208	194	155	153	145	128	120	125	218	
CHEESE (not Process or Cottage)	33,976	32,292	42,105	44,633	46,670	38,893	34,439	25,893	18,255	19,804	28,947	44,213	82,438	
CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK	19,242	22,717	27,838	29,648	26,183	19,763	15,884	10,934	7,068	8,645	9,121	13,460	20,112	
Eggs—														
Cold Storage.....	9,527	10,659	11,021	7,355	3,097	960	322	148	1,748	3,633	10,120	15,502	15,737	
Fresh.....	977	1,010	1,066	1,147	522	429	996	1,227	1,175	1,892	2,667	2,296	1,743	
Frozen.....	6,601	6,750	6,612	6,633	5,872	5,077	4,312	3,683	3,129	2,739	3,903	7,768	12,948	
POULTRY dressed.....	3,999	3,273	2,842	3,434	5,170	9,600	20,382	19,481	16,860	14,252	11,082	9,167	7,609	
PORK, grand total.....	47,927	41,154	37,067	38,261	51,377	60,040	71,234	75,602	71,849	74,151	61,645	58,240	41,833	
Fresh (not frozen).....	5,317	4,824	4,515	5,662	8,336	6,529	6,080	6,333	5,724	6,272	6,598	6,127	4,608	
Fresh (frozen).....	20,879	14,972	11,531	9,998	10,317	22,129	34,512	37,626	43,105	37,563	27,384	27,161	13,266	
Cured or in cure.....	21,631	21,357	20,962	22,600	32,724	31,392	30,642	31,643	35,020	30,516	27,993	24,952	23,959	
LARD														
BEV, grand total.....	7,333	8,854	4,025	2,851	3,350	5,437	6,672	6,804	7,507	8,954	10,471	12,276	12,600	
VEAL.....	14,017	14,663	15,066	18,617	27,021	34,880	31,970	33,774	27,066	21,543	15,282	11,600	10,563	
FISH.....	4,804	5,176	5,078	6,070	7,393	7,916	6,234	4,757	3,083	2,887	3,479	3,514	3,773	
MUTTON AND LAMB.....	839	935	1,190	2,356	6,009	7,351	6,792	7,037	5,909	4,952	3,283	1,621	948	
FISH—														
Frozen fresh.....	24,730	31,201	34,474	33,220	35,839	32,555	27,125	21,641	18,855	16,016	14,358	18,400	24,521	
Frozen smoked.....	3,004	3,541	3,881	3,396	3,062	2,896	2,290	1,622	904	779	943	1,100	1,331	

DOMINION GOVERNMENT REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES (\$000 omitted)

SOURCE: Budget Speech as delivered in House of Commons, Tuesday, June 23, 1942

	1937-1938	1938-1939	1939-1940	1940-1941	Estimated 1941-1942
Ordinary revenues.....	510,298	498,017	541,617	859,755	1,463,484
Ordinary expenditures.....	414,892	413,032	398,323	390,629	443,969
Surplus on ordinary account.....	95,406	84,985	143,294	469,126	1,019,515
War and special expenditures.....	68,535	71,896	207,404	794,914	1,414,432
Less special expenditures.....	3,010	1,256	164	8,538	14,151
Balance.....	65,525	70,640	207,240	786,376	1,400,281
Add—Capital expenditures.....	4,430	5,424	7,030	3,358	3,357
“ Government owned enterprises.....	44,833	58,943	42,079	18,182	1,215
“ Other charges.....	1,718	3,768	25,958	42,518	31,993
Less other credits.....	116,506	138,775	282,307	850,434	1,436,846
	3,385	2,898	20,313	3,876	3,650
Deduct surplus as above.....	113,121	135,877	261,994	846,558	1,433,196
	95,406	84,985	143,294	469,126	1,019,515
Over-all deficit or increase of direct net debt.....	17,715	50,892	118,700	377,432	413,681

FORECAST OF TOTAL ORDINARY REVENUE FOR FISCAL YEAR 1942-43

	Revenue from existing taxes	Increase in revenue resulting from budget proposals	Total ordinary revenue
Custom duties.....	135,000,000	—	135,000,000
Excise duties.....	123,000,000	11,610,000	134,610,000
Sales tax.....	218,000,000	—	218,000,000
War exchange tax.....	95,000,000	—	95,000,000
Other excise taxes.....	85,000,000	38,240,000	123,240,000
Income taxes—			
Personal.....	240,000,000	—	240,000,000
National defence tax.....	150,000,000	45,000,000	195,000,000
Corporation.....	200,000,000	105,000,000	305,000,000
Interest and dividends.....	28,000,000	—	28,000,000
Excess profits tax.....	275,000,000	165,000,000	440,000,000
Succession duties.....	15,000,000	—	15,000,000
Miscellaneous taxes.....	2,600,000	13,000,000	15,600,000
Total tax revenue.....	1,566,600,000	377,850,000	1,944,450,000
Non-tax revenue.....	105,000,000	—	105,000,000
Total ordinary revenue.....	1,671,600,000	377,850,000	2,049,450,000

DOMINION OF CANADA BOND REDEMPTIONS SINCE OUTBREAK OF WAR TO MARCH 31, 1942

Maturity Date	Interest Rate	Where Payable	Amount
	Per Cent		\$
Oct. 15, 1939.....	4	Canada	17,168,000
Oct. 15, 1939.....	2½	Canada	6,242,500
Nov. 15, 1939.....	2	Canada	4,654,000
March 1, 1940.....	3	Canada	115,013,637
April 17, 1940.....	3½	London	137,053,541
June 1, 1940.....	1½	Canada	80,000,000
Sept. 1, 1940.....	4½	Canada	75,000,000
Oct. 1, 1940.....	4	London	93,926,667 ¹
March 15, 1941.....	1	Canada	45,000,000
May 1, 1941.....	1½	New York	20,000,000
May 1, 1941.....	1	Canada	250,000,000
Oct. 16, 1941.....	2	Canada	200,000,000
Nov. 15, 1941.....	5	Canada	141,663,300
May 15, 1942.....	1½	Canada	93,818,000 ²
June 1, 1942.....	2	Canada	59,761,000 ³
Oct. 1, 1947.....	2½	London	4,201,913 ⁴
May 1, 1955.....	3½	London	42,761,390 ⁵
Sept. 1, 1958.....	4	London	68,550,263 ⁶
July 1, 1963.....	3½	London	44,257,087 ⁷
War Savings Certificates.....	3½	Canada	4,746,413
Non-interest Bearing Certificates.....	Nil	Canada	1,655,632
Total.....			1,505,478,343
Recapitulation—			
Payable in Canada.....			1,094,722,182
“ New York.....			20,000,000
“ London.....			390,756,161
Total.....			1,505,478,343

¹ Due July 1, 1950, called for redemption on April 17, 1940.² Due Oct. 1, 1960, called for redemption on Oct. 1, 1940.³ Amount converted into Second Victory Loan.⁴ This issue was vested by the Treasury of the United Kingdom in Jan., 1942. The amount (at par of exchange) purchased to Mar. 31, 1942, has been cancelled.⁵ These issues were vested by the Treasury of the United Kingdom in Aug., 1941. The amounts purchased (at par of exchange) to Mar. 31, 1942, have been cancelled.⁶ Yield to investor if held to maturity, seven and one-half years after issue date.

INDEX NUMBERS OF RATES OF WAGES FOR VARIOUS CLASSES OF LABOUR IN CANADA 1901-1941
(Rates in 1935-39=100)

Year	Building Trades	Metal Trades	Printing Trades	Electric Railways	Steam Railways	Coal Mining	Common Factory Labour	Miscellaneous Factory Trades	Lumber and Sawmilling	Metal Mining	Steamships	Laundries	Telephones	General Weighted*
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)		(g)						
1901.....	31.5	37.8	32.0	33.7	35.4	48.8			55.7	62.9	48.3			29.6
1902.....	38.9	38.7	32.8	35.8	37.0	49.4			57.1	63.3	48.5			42.1
1903.....	40.8	40.4	33.3	37.5	38.6	50.3			58.4	61.2	48.3			43.6
1904.....	42.2	41.9	35.2	38.5	39.5	50.2			59.4	59.7	48.9			44.5
1905.....	44.2	43.4	36.5	38.7	38.3	50.9			61.5	60.3	49.2			45.4
1906.....	45.5	44.0	38.4	40.0	40.8	51.6			63.6	64.2	50.0			47.3
1907.....	48.5	45.4	41.7	42.9	41.6	55.2			65.2	63.4	51.1			48.8
1908.....	49.3	46.7	42.8	43.1	44.3	55.9			63.9	64.4	52.4			49.9
1909.....	50.3	47.5	44.4	42.8	44.4	56.1			67.2	65.0	53.1			50.9
1910.....	52.6	49.0	46.7	45.2	46.3	55.6			69.3	64.2	53.2			52.5
1911.....	54.6	50.2	48.8	46.4	49.2	57.5	49.9	47.7	70.7	64.9	54.0			51.8
1912.....	58.1	52.6	51.1	48.7	50.3	58.0	51.6	48.6	73.0	68.2	55.1			53.5
1913.....	60.5	55.2	53.2	52.7	51.4	59.0	52.6	50.0	73.9	67.1	57.2	47.8		54.9
1914.....	61.0	55.4	54.5	53.2	52.4	60.1	53.1	51.6	70.6	67.2	58.1	50.0		55.6
1915.....	61.4	56.0	55.1	51.6	52.3	60.4	53.1	53.1	68.0	68.1	59.4	48.3		56.0
1916.....	62.0	59.0	56.3	53.9	54.4	65.9	58.0	57.6	79.3	75.2	60.4	51.6		59.9
1917.....	66.5	70.6	59.2	60.4	64.0	77.2	67.9	64.0	100.5	83.4	71.0	57.8		68.7
1918.....	76.2	85.6	65.8	75.3	81.2	93.1	80.1	73.4	114.0	90.6	86.5	66.7		80.7
1919.....	89.7	99.3	77.6	86.1	94.6	100.6	94.7	90.1	131.2	90.9	95.4	76.4		94.8
1920.....	109.5	115.5	97.9	102.4	113.6	116.6	113.2	108.5	148.7	105.8	115.7	89.7	95.1	112.7
1921.....	103.2	103.0	102.9	101.3	100.7	122.9	100.2	101.1	112.9	97.9	105.6	99.0	94.6	102.7
1922.....	98.4	95.8	102.3	97.2	94.8	116.7	96.2	94.6	92.6	90.5	95.4	99.9	89.9	95.8
1923.....	100.7	96.0	100.5	98.2	95.8	116.7	95.5	98.1	107.1	94.5	100.7	101.3	91.3	95.4
1924.....	102.7	96.8	102.1	98.3	95.8	113.5	96.3	98.8	116.2	94.6	99.2	101.6	91.8	99.8
1925.....	103.1	96.7	102.6	99.0	95.8	98.9	97.9	97.8	107.8	95.9	99.4	100.7	91.9	98.8
1926.....	104.2	97.8	102.9	99.3	95.8	98.8	98.5	98.4	108.4	95.8	99.2	101.6	92.5	99.4
1927.....	108.5	98.2	103.8	100.1	102.0	99.1	98.7	98.7	109.5	95.9	100.4	102.5	94.2	101.5
1928.....	112.3	99.3	105.5	102.3	102.0	99.6	98.4	100.5	110.9	95.8	111.1	103.3	96.0	102.7
1929.....	119.6	101.8	107.7	104.7	105.0	99.6	98.7	101.1	110.5	99.4	105.7	103.5	97.1	104.5
1930.....	123.0	102.9	108.2	105.1	105.0	99.9	98.9	101.2	109.2	96.5	106.9	103.7	97.6	105.2
1931.....	118.5	100.9	102.2	104.7	102.4	99.9	96.4	98.7	92.6	95.2	102.3	103.2	97.9	101.7
1932.....	107.9	96.4	103.4	100.7	94.6	96.8	91.3	92.2	76.7	92.2	95.1	100.7	91.3	94.5
1933.....	95.6	93.3	98.1	96.3	92.4	95.5	88.4	87.9	66.0	91.1	89.3	98.6	90.6	89.6
1934.....	93.7	92.7	97.7	96.2	89.3	96.1	89.8	90.3	74.9	93.4	88.6	97.7	96.6	96.5
1935.....	96.7	93.6	98.2	96.8	94.6	97.8	92.0	92.2	82.3	95.2	89.2	98.2	95.9	93.1
1936.....	97.3	93.8	98.6	97.8	94.6	97.9	94.5	94.4	90.5	97.6	90.6	98.7	96.7	94.8
1937.....	100.1	103.4	99.9	100.4	100.8	98.4	102.8	101.9	104.6	101.9	101.2	100.0	101.6	101.8
1938.....	102.5	104.4	101.5	102.1	105.0	102.9	105.0	105.2	112.0	102.4	109.0	101.4	102.8	104.9
1939.....	103.3	104.7	101.9	102.7	105.0	102.0	105.9	106.0	110.5	102.8	110.0	101.7	103.1	105.3
1940.....	105.7	109.3	103.6	105.6	105.0	104.0	109.5	110.6	114.2	103.5	115.5	103.1	104.1	108.4
1941.....	111.7	119.0	108.6	113.7	117.7	116.6	122.4	122.5	125.6	113.2	126.9	110.2	114.5	119.2

*Weighted according to average number of workers in each group in 1921 and 1931 except metal mining where years 1921, 1931 and 1938 were used.

† Including some increases effected near the end of the year.

‡ Including a 10 per cent decrease for certain classes toward the end of the year.

(a) Seven trades from 1901 to 1920, eight from 1921 to 1926, nine from 1927 to 1941; 13 cities to 1927, 14 cities to 1930- thereafter 31 to 42 cities.

(b) Five trades from 1901 to 1926, four from 1927 to 1941.

(c) Two trades from 1901 to 1920, four for 1921 and 1922, two for 1923 and 1924, six from 1925 to 1941.

(d) Two classes from 1901 to 1923, five classes 1924 to 1941; from 1901 to 1930, 13 cities; thereafter 35 decreasing to 25.

(e) Twenty-three classes.

(f) Four classes 1901 to 1920, twelve classes 1921 to 1941.

(g) The number of samples (and industries) increased from time to time since 1920; machine operators, helpers, etc., also included.

VI. Transportation

17 RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS

Commodity	1941						1942			
	April	May	Aug.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS—										
Wheat.....	1,089,475	1,030,105	1,366,065	1,168,260	1,267,327	1,215,833	847,399	769,351	787,568	1,266,661
Corn.....	13,940	12,161	9,355	9,692	22,211	29,697	28,966	23,183	22,609	15,209
Oats.....	93,075	87,122	54,032	149,619	124,954	73,745	71,407	79,293	60,908	58,481
Barley.....	49,043	41,405	90,365	170,480	105,949	66,251	55,995	60,335	43,921	40,044
Rye.....	11,952	20,651	22,654	41,008	21,231	7,759	7,246	11,049	7,907	7,654
Flaxseed.....	6,337	5,035	5,789	40,554	43,054	13,951	12,752	18,628	13,189	11,761
Other grain.....	919	594	763	1,672	1,232	1,017	922	922	1,438	1,031
Flour.....	140,442	180,483	144,996	118,234	117,457	126,460	123,178	126,355	141,875	157,193
Other mill products.....	104,326	125,261	150,282	165,698	160,051	159,624	134,729	125,633	152,092	147,299
Hay and straw.....	12,560	6,568	4,043	15,635	17,746	16,562	13,025	12,555	17,912	14,106
Cotton.....	1,485	1,347	1,616	1,621	1,861	1,682	2,430	1,992	2,606	2,543
Apples (fresh).....	10,212	9,057	3,385	47,677	29,171	17,331	11,926	7,765	5,970	1,463
Other fruit (fresh).....	875	595	19,176	5,887	1,924	985	628	737	812	923
Potatoes.....	43,792	33,551	6,466	33,867	33,802	30,329	40,168	28,701	48,705	47,204
Other fresh vegetables.....	6,785	2,800	11,301	23,855	14,717	10,454	13,620	9,626	10,155	5,478
Other agricultural products.....	25,001	24,879	25,201	164,228	203,438	89,902	32,263	27,618	33,840	29,530
ANIMAL PRODUCTS—										
Horses.....	4,803	2,949	3,336	2,959	3,628	2,887	2,310	2,102	5,635	6,446
Cattle and calves.....	28,396	28,479	49,337	71,411	53,792	37,421	45,863	24,438	25,534	42,310
Sheep.....	1,406	901	1,487	8,246	3,861	1,470	1,776	1,335	1,602	1,303
Hogs.....	27,567	23,307	16,785	81,165	33,090	35,128	31,053	25,683	27,656	27,774
Dressed meats (fresh).....	11,946	11,995	10,753	11,542	13,243	13,123	13,270	13,420	15,491	14,502
(cured, salted, canned).....	22,092	25,231	16,659	22,234	31,827	27,160	29,359	28,429	29,366	33,508
Other packing house products (edible).....	3,886	3,176	3,623	3,556	3,695	4,086	4,599	3,488	3,963	3,367
Poultry.....	253	221	222	181	509	8,184	667	769	1,202	350
Eggs.....	2,728	6,081	1,221	3,981	1,407	725	2,309	2,809	3,013	6,020
Butter and cheese.....	3,614	4,367	10,335	8,017	5,373	7,691	10,912	8,716	6,323	3,178
Wool.....	1,028	2,005	2,000	1,777	2,008	2,043	1,712	1,603	1,811	1,530
Hides and leather.....	4,321	4,604	4,145	4,597	4,505	4,307	4,642	4,908	4,272	4,083
Other animal products.....	6,654	6,590	6,974	9,096	9,253	7,911	7,622	7,991	9,307	7,422
MINES PRODUCTS—										
Anthracite coal.....	1,094	680	1,682	1,308	1,018	314	877	558	626	1,918
Bituminous coal.....	738,404	712,510	698,959	847,438	870,623	809,222	808,148	761,890	790,015	785,701
Lignite coal.....	85,209	61,345	171,790	423,267	399,058	393,259	455,042	324,760	208,310	139,962
Coke.....	83,087	87,966	96,260	103,745	89,572	85,808	93,117	76,266	87,997	81,583
Iron ores.....	47,822	83,551	78,224	37,486	61,997	14,231	319	11,313	344	76,489
Other ores and concentrates.....	345,154	365,291	394,294	493,657	457,630	505,974	468,851	415,517	390,629	442,795
Rare bullion and matte.....	90,839	110,830	121,502	138,461	124,929	114,364	126,705	109,066	143,106	131,130
Gravel, sand, stone (crushed).....	187,395	311,778	507,882	542,945	324,308	192,408	133,312	124,579	176,369	180,206
Slate or block stone.....	2,337	2,416	2,209	4,020	3,193	3,006	2,854	1,236	1,775	2,297
Crude petroleum.....	61,281	62,554	58,257	60,065	53,304	63,012	60,197	42,186	41,349	48,539
Asphalt.....	9,052	25,850	57,136	32,270	14,712	7,745	6,456	6,687	7,134	10,695
Salt.....	20,379	28,241	23,137	26,513	28,667	26,269	25,422	26,287	26,360	25,345
Other mine products.....	221,262	295,900	289,549	244,054	237,947	167,741	136,205	185,808	244,522	245,641
FOREST PRODUCTS—										
Logs, posts, poles, cordwood.....	187,877	169,703	145,530	159,387	166,519	179,995	217,553	209,482	213,390	157,801
Ties.....	5,446	7,728	5,308	6,709	7,545	7,914	11,147	13,498	12,085	8,581
Pulpwood.....	173,701	184,722	266,265	190,721	171,733	192,187	324,768	462,633	451,718	199,096
Lumber, timber, box, crate, and cooperage material.....	397,887	445,843	608,966	562,964	559,597	435,002	347,381	396,744	485,846	428,267
Other forest products.....	21,505	24,752	26,580	25,789	23,701	48,727	24,964	24,273	31,288	21,249
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS—										
Gasoline, petroleum products.....	202,411	251,650	252,139	238,828	206,654	198,655	202,269	178,999	283,861	244,708
Sugar.....	29,310	26,270	34,837	34,253	32,858	27,448	21,982	14,751	16,891	18,291
Iron, pig and bloom.....	38,248	41,009	43,557	44,242	46,358	49,017	51,368	40,291	48,634	39,776
Rails and fastenings.....	6,804	6,138	3,927	5,780	5,077	3,816	4,339	4,368	5,275	4,241
Iron and steel (bar, etc.).....	111,086	117,806	111,054	138,481	134,946	129,316	133,212	127,496	164,304	153,738
Castings, machinery and boilers.....	14,641	15,441	16,044	16,544	17,143	16,425	15,090	17,343	19,262	17,966
Cement.....	99,908	84,098	90,245	97,401	59,928	37,872	25,122	36,417	43,410	71,299
Brick and artificial stone.....	18,491	21,694	24,326	24,713	23,226	17,841	12,524	13,622	22,405	20,435
Lime and plaster.....	37,379	38,145	36,670	36,458	36,452	32,025	32,876	33,997	37,991	39,047
Sewer pipe and drain tile.....	2,765	3,565	3,789	4,255	3,693	2,272	1,068	906	1,512	2,084
Agricultural implements and vehicles other than autos.....	18,637	14,911	11,313	5,852	7,638	7,134	7,537	7,622	10,908	12,380
Automobiles and auto trucks.....	96,697	112,779	85,573	53,960	66,355	70,088	66,108	93,808	109,091	118,461
Household goods.....	3,106	2,117	1,101	2,829	1,988	1,179	740	616	2,217	3,594
Furniture.....	3,726	3,655	3,970	4,459	4,355	4,316	4,161	4,418	4,549	4,363
Beverages.....	26,465	27,561	33,015	30,604	38,243	39,705	24,280	33,419	38,612	46,322
Fertilizers, all kinds.....	121,236	160,161	42,220	80,408	77,275	60,127	59,575	61,624	111,035	136,865
Paper, printed matter, books.....	258,444	230,540	245,287	250,810	309,193	314,441	301,822	274,944	314,251	250,044
Wood-pulp.....	120,302	115,204	134,539	134,725	151,562	157,135	143,964	131,260	165,744	159,334
Fish (fresh, frozen, cured).....	4,218	2,547	7,193	9,433	9,099	9,418	11,954	8,415	7,394	4,761
Canned goods (except meats).....	25,006	21,639	31,994	57,257	52,171	32,104	24,248	28,952	30,040	33,480
Other manufactures and miscellaneous.....	435,900	483,154	531,900	549,665	537,765	524,266	538,870	517,206	654,888	672,376
Merchandise.....	194,753	182,149	175,865	204,153	185,705	177,727	167,234	174,835	208,462	214,722
Grand Total 000 tons.....	6,404	7,722	7,704	8,443	8,110	7,347	6,845	6,571	7,288	7,991

VI. Transportation—Concluded

18. RAILWAY OPERATING STATISTICS¹

Classification	1941							1942				
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Canadian National—												
Operating revenues...\$000	21,951	22,006	22,327	23,542	25,106	23,888	24,467	22,529	21,734	25,264	24,945	26,386
Operating expenses...\$000	16,373	18,179	18,197	18,206	19,728	18,944	19,081	18,052	18,096	19,499	18,595	19,370
Operating income...\$000	5,116	3,376	3,617	4,762	4,775	4,056	4,969	3,932	2,528	5,150	5,667	6,328
No. of tons carried...000 tons	4,432	4,628	4,689	5,035	5,402	4,748	4,582	4,301	4,157	4,951	4,690	4,761
Ton miles...000,000 tons	2,051	1,996	2,119	2,175	2,315	2,107	2,074	2,060	1,906	2,222	2,139	2,372
Passengers carried...000	851	1,104	1,102	898	850	1,524	2,087	2,063	2,056	2,255	2,353	2,260
Passengers carried one mile...000,000 pass.	130	174	179	146	140	121	211	152	145	172	189	180
Total pay-roll...\$000	10,624	11,404	11,868	11,800	11,936	11,768	14,412	11,975	11,610	12,164	11,917	14,938
Number of employees...000	81	84	85	85	84	80	79	78	80	82	78	84
Canadian Pacific—												
Operating revenues...\$000	18,592	19,383	20,037	19,395	21,728	20,363	21,253	18,790	18,348	20,855	20,762	21,705
Operating expenses...\$000	12,957	14,264	14,944	14,803	14,639	13,707	13,872	14,250	13,674	14,910	14,865	14,938
Operating income...\$000	4,068	3,195	3,146	3,467	5,938	5,201	5,091	3,184	3,014	3,786	3,556	4,234
No. of tons carried...000 tons	3,830	3,764	4,042	3,650	4,307	4,513	3,831	3,584	3,436	3,873	3,876	4,089
Ton miles...000,000 tons	2,028	1,950	1,901	1,963	2,155	2,212	1,954	1,856	1,806	1,976	1,920	2,120
Passengers carried...000	653	740	947	626	651	624	991	876	923	985	1,053	963
Passengers carried one mile...000,000 pass.	103	126	155	122	107	92	154	113	111	136	153	166
Total pay-roll...\$000	8,033	8,284	8,206	8,274	8,501	7,931	8,220	8,138	7,954	8,410	8,449	8,942
Number of employees...000	56	56	56	54	53	51	50	50	51	52	54	58
All Railways—												
Carloadings...000 cars	271.27	276.93	278.65	294.17	312.53	285.82	294.17	271.95	248.55	271.33	272.93	283.43
Operating revenues...\$000	44,817	45,442	46,524	47,215	51,239	48,218	50,050	45,422	44,044	50,858	50,597	52,997
Operating expenses...\$000	32,122	35,248	35,988	35,861	37,304	35,496	36,134	35,111	35,281	37,338	36,626	38,626
Operating income...\$000	9,976	7,262	7,393	8,973	11,483	9,227	10,818	7,789	6,046	10,036	10,303	10,303
No. of tons carried...000 tons	10,885	11,133	11,477	11,792	12,739	12,046	11,245	10,638	10,402	12,044	11,810	12,044
No. of tons carried one mile...000,000 tons	4,381	4,257	4,323	4,447	5,250	4,711	4,356	4,246	4,031	4,580	4,439	4,439
Passengers carried...000	1,702	2,044	2,353	1,721	1,708	2,301	3,296	3,140	3,147	3,434	3,434	3,434
Passengers carried one mile...000,000 pass.	248	318	354	286	282	227	387	283	271	325	361	361
Total pay-roll...\$000	19,894	20,990	21,420	21,388	21,732	20,979	23,884	21,358	21,065	21,886	21,714	21,714
Number of employees...000	146	149	150	149	145	138	136	135	138	140	140	140

¹ June operating revenues C.P.R. \$21,245,000 C.N.R. \$28,182,009; carloadings 286,506.

19. RADIO PRODUCTION AND SALES

Classification	1939				1940				1941				1942
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
Production...No.	33,611	68,189	130,952	115,755	91,751	143,577	134,787	122,540	61,038	93,666	114,470	85,275	89,164
Producers' sales...No.	40,073	52,895	139,448	138,152	71,803	85,937	116,866	164,670	77,121	103,215	120,573	118,647	87,953
Producers' sales...\$000	2,981	2,471	6,963	7,590	3,524	3,822	6,544	9,061	4,451	4,351	7,112	7,570	6,421

20. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM

Classification	1941							1942					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Banking—													
BANK OF ENGLAND—													
Private deposits...£ mn.	174.1	158.3	145.4	180.7	182.6	191.6	184.8	187.2	180.9	186.1	205.5	177.0	177.8
Bank and currency notes...£ mn.	637.5	650.9	668.2	671.4	686.1	704.0	726.6	743.7	748.6	754.2	767.1	780.2	793.7
Gold reserve...£ mn.	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
LONDON CLEARING BANKS—													
Deposits...£ mn.	2,946	2,991	2,997	3,115	3,176	3,208	3,329	3,222	3,085	3,072	3,082	3,131	3,131
Discounts...£ mn.	193	275	266	315	270	246	171	157	112	163	258	291	291
Advances...£ mn.	859	853	838	826	823	809	807	812	826	838	821	811	811
Investments...£ mn.	890	902	935	939	980	999	999	1,008	1,017	1,050	1,048	1,049	1,049
Money—													
Day-to-day rate...p.c.	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Three months rate...p.c.	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03
Wholesale Prices— 1930=100													
Cereals	146.5	148.5	151.2	157.7	160.8	163.7	168.0	173.7	195.5	201.5	199.9	203.0	203.0
Meat, fish and eggs	119.7	116.2	116.4	116.4	115.8	115.5	116.0	116.2	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0
Other food and tobacco	165.4	170.7	167.0	165.5	165.3	166.2	167.5	166.5	166.4	165.3	171.1	172.2	172.2
Total—Food and tobacco	145.1	146.3	148.8	147.1	147.7	148.7	150.5	151.6	150.9	157.9	159.8	162.6	162.6
Total—Industrial materials and mfrs.	156.1	156.5	156.8	157.7	158.0	158.3	158.4	158.5	159.0	158.9	159.2	159.4	159.4
Total—All articles	152.4	153.2	153.2	154.3	154.6	155.2	155.9	156.4	158.5	158.8	159.6	160.7	160.7
Basic materials	167.0	167.7	168.1	170.4	170.9	171.0	170.5	170.6	170.6	168.3	168.6	169.1	169.1
Intermediate products	165.6	165.8	165.8	166.7	167.0	167.5	167.7	167.8	167.8	167.9	168.0	168.1	168.1
Manufactured articles	148.3	148.6	148.9	149.1	149.4	149.8	150.3	150.7	151.1	151.7	152.2	152.2	152.2
Employment—													
Number unemployed ¹ ...000	244	220	220	197	156	172	165	171	162	149	149	149	149

¹ Number of persons on the Registers of Employment Exchanges in Great Britain only.

VII. Employment

21. UNADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH—1926=100

Classification	1941							1942						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
All Industries.....	153-9	157-4	160-6	163-7	165-8	167-6	168-8	165-8	165-4	165-1	165-2	167-4	171-7	
Manufacturing.....	168-0	172-5	176-9	181-5	185-0	187-5	188-4	187-1	191-2	195-7	199-4	202-3	205-9	
Animal products—edible.....	172-9	175-1	182-6	192-1	182-3	185-8	178-4	167-4	162-5	162-0	162-3	168-8	174-9	
Fur and products.....	123-6	124-4	121-7	124-3	131-3	131-8	127-8	118-6	112-7	113-1	117-2	121-0	123-2	
Leather and products.....	137-0	137-4	140-1	142-0	144-2	144-0	144-1	140-0	141-0	142-4	142-7	139-6	138-7	
Lumber and products.....	120-9	124-1	128-3	128-0	123-0	119-5	112-9	107-3	107-4	109-7	113-9	115-7	120-2	
Rough and dressed lumber.....	117-1	118-3	123-8	121-7	114-5	109-0	99-9	93-6	93-9	97-5	101-2	103-4	109-9	
Furniture.....	111-9	113-9	114-3	116-2	117-2	118-2	118-4	118-0	114-7	115-1	114-6	113-5	111-6	
Other lumber products.....	149-6	155-2	158-8	161-9	160-9	160-3	160-2	159-8	161-0	160-3	160-8	163-7	166-9	
Musical instruments.....	94-3	95-6	93-2	92-9	90-5	86-2	86-1	87-0	85-4	89-0	91-2	87-9	95-8	
Plant products—edible.....	133-8	147-8	150-5	172-2	192-4	172-2	158-3	146-3	143-5	140-1	136-2	135-1	137-2	
Pulp and paper products.....	128-3	131-3	132-7	133-6	135-3	136-1	134-6	132-7	133-0	133-6	132-8	132-1	133-4	
Pulp and paper.....	120-5	124-7	125-8	126-5	126-8	127-9	124-1	121-8	121-8	122-5	123-2	123-4	125-6	
Paper products.....	167-3	172-2	176-1	181-4	187-7	190-2	191-5	189-7	189-7	189-0	188-9	186-5	189-0	
Printing and publishing.....	125-3	126-0	126-8	126-5	129-4	128-3	128-8	128-1	128-2	129-2	126-2	124-9	124-5	
Textile products.....	134-6	133-4	135-3	139-1	143-5	145-3	146-0	138-9	131-9	128-6	127-2	126-7	126-1	
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	169-9	173-5	175-0	176-1	176-6	175-9	176-2	174-6	170-1	175-2	177-7	177-4	176-8	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	143-0	142-8	144-3	144-2	146-1	147-2	147-8	144-8	145-6	145-2	145-4	143-7	144-4	
Garments and personal furnishings.....	155-6	154-9	155-0	161-8	167-2	166-6	164-0	157-1	164-5	166-9	171-6	174-0	172-7	
Other textile products.....	168-0	163-2	161-5	164-9	167-2	168-4	167-3	165-4	170-2	172-1	173-2	173-5	172-8	
Tobacco.....	107-0	107-8	109-9	112-9	116-1	116-0	116-1	103-4	185-0	182-3	166-0	156-9	138-2	
Beverages.....	205-6	216-9	220-5	222-1	226-3	231-2	235-2	231-0	218-7	222-3	222-3	232-2	236-9	
Chemicals and allied products.....	326-6	341-6	345-0	383-5	397-4	429-0	447-0	447-5	468-4	552-6	571-5	583-4	585-8	
Clay, glass and stone products.....	133-3	135-2	137-5	135-4	134-7	135-4	136-4	130-6	129-4	126-7	128-5	130-5	133-6	
Electric light and power.....	149-9	152-3	154-5	155-2	151-6	149-9	147-1	142-1	139-8	137-9	138-4	143-2	145-3	
Electrical apparatus.....	205-9	211-3	218-0	225-1	231-3	227-0	250-4	237-9	230-3	223-2	228-6	242-7	249-6	
Iron and steel products.....	203-3	209-1	215-3	220-8	226-4	238-6	248-0	252-1	262-1	270-3	279-0	286-9	295-8	
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	211-2	216-0	222-1	226-4	227-4	233-3	237-7	240-3	242-2	241-7	244-2	245-4	245-4	
Machinery.....	225-2	205-6	212-8	223-4	227-5	233-5	241-1	244-6	246-9	251-4	257-1	252-4	253-4	
Agricultural implements.....	107-9	107-8	108-8	104-8	105-9	108-4	110-2	110-9	113-1	115-9	118-5	122-5	138-5	
Land vehicles.....	179-8	183-3	186-8	190-1	191-2	202-0	210-0	213-5	218-0	224-7	230-4	232-1	236-2	
Automobiles and parts.....	256-5	258-2	263-6	247-9	230-7	230-7	260-0	263-7	266-9	278-9	280-7	276-2	284-3	
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	420-6	446-8	472-4	494-6	526-4	549-8	587-9	586-7	646-8	695-7	700-6	894-1	973-8	
Heating appliances.....	158-4	161-9	165-4	165-0	169-6	171-6	163-8	155-1	158-6	160-8	160-4	167-3	155-6	
Iron and steel fabrication.....	225-2	231-7	243-4	245-8	251-1	255-1	257-4	261-9	270-6	272-7	279-2	279-2	291-4	
Foundry and machine shop products.....	232-3	236-8	237-6	241-8	251-5	261-4	258-5	266-5	270-4	269-3	285-6	282-4	281-3	
Other iron and steel products.....	242-3	265-0	280-0	291-7	310-0	338-7	360-8	370-8	401-6	419-6	436-1	451-8	469-6	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	273-9	288-3	292-0	297-5	303-4	302-9	306-6	312-0	317-3	326-3	331-8	334-8	343-4	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	179-1	184-5	189-5	189-2	186-8	188-3	185-0	183-8	189-5	191-2	190-8	192-9	196-9	
Miscellaneous.....	205-6	212-2	220-5	237-7	246-0	255-4	257-2	253-6	277-6	291-7	326-1	322-1	341-4	
Logging.....	158-3	152-7	132-8	139-6	174-0	191-9	250-3	283-6	267-7	258-3	208-7	158-5	169-0	
MINING.....	177-2	176-8	176-1	181-6	182-3	185-0	183-5	177-8	176-8	176-4	175-0	173-5	173-1	
Coal.....	91-5	89-8	89-6	94-9	95-9	99-4	101-2	101-1	101-0	100-2	97-4	94-9	92-2	
Metallic ores.....	373-1	372-3	377-7	377-5	376-6	378-9	369-1	356-2	356-4	357-4	357-3	355-4	357-3	
Non-metallics (except minerals).....	161-0	160-7	160-1	164-2	166-6	166-7	167-4	160-2	153-4	152-1	153-6	157-2	161-6	
COMMUNICATIONS.....	97-2	99-7	101-6	102-0	101-5	100-0	100-6	100-8	100-2	100-2	101-0	103-7	103-9	
Telegraphs.....	115-5	122-0	125-7	126-5	124-3	118-0	117-0	116-8	117-3	116-7	117-3	119-8	120-4	
Telephones.....	92-2	93-8	95-1	95-4	95-3	95-1	96-1	96-6	95-5	95-5	97-7	97-5	99-3	
TRANSPORTATION.....	99-2	103-7	108-0	108-9	104-2	102-8	104-1	101-1	99-2	97-5	99-0	104-1	106-4	
Street railways and carriages.....	146-6	148-6	151-6	153-2	153-0	151-3	149-5	147-0	144-9	145-3	146-2	149-8	152-9	
Steam railways.....	86-2	89-3	89-7	90-0	89-7	89-8	91-9	92-5	90-5	90-7	91-6	92-6	94-7	
Shipping and stevedoring.....	94-0	106-6	109-1	111-4	103-4	97-3	98-7	82-1	75-2	70-0	74-2	95-6	98-3	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	139-5	149-9	160-7	153-9	155-4	147-7	143-4	124-7	118-1	103-7	98-0	109-3	123-3	
Building.....	141-1	148-1	155-9	158-2	164-6	167-8	167-3	146-8	145-2	133-6	131-3	132-4	138-9	
Highway.....	180-3	200-0	224-9	203-4	208-7	198-4	192-8	157-9	131-9	92-5	89-0	114-0	135-3	
Railway.....	160-9	105-7	108-9	104-3	97-5	81-2	74-1	72-0	78-3	83-8	72-6	81-6	96-7	
SERVICES.....	170-9	179-8	184-0	183-9	175-7	173-7	170-4	168-0	167-0	169-1	172-8	176-3	180-6	
Hotels and restaurants.....	163-6	176-0	182-3	181-5	169-0	166-5	162-7	162-2	161-4	162-9	164-5	157-1	173-2	
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	183-6	189-4	187-0	188-1	187-3	186-2	183-8	178-1	176-9	179-9	187-1	192-1	193-6	
TRADE.....	156-8	158-5	158-8	157-5	160-9	163-4	167-1	172-4	156-8	151-7	153-0	153-5	153-7	
Retail.....	164-6	166-3	163-4	163-2	167-9	171-8	177-8	185-8	165-2	157-7	159-8	160-6	160-9	
Wholesale.....	136-2	137-6	139-2	142-3	142-3	141-3	138-5	136-7	134-4	136-0	134-7	134-3	134-3	
CITIES.....														
Montreal.....	141-1	145-2	148-5	151-6	155-7	158-2	159-8	156-4	155-2	156-8	160-3	162-9	166-8	
Quebec.....	163-9	171-1	179-1	186-2	183-8	190-7	194-6	195-4	195-4	199-3	207-8	214-3	220-0	
Toronto.....	153-3	155-1	158-7	159-5	163-4	167-6	171-6	168-8	171-0	172-3	174-8	176-9	179-7	
Ottawa.....	150-6	153-8	157-0	156-8	161-1	164-4	164-8	169-9	170-8	156-4	156-6	156-6	157-7	
Hamilton.....	161-9	164-0	165-8	168-4	171-2	175-3	178-6	178-4	181-2	180-6	181-5	184-7	185-9	
Windsor.....	229-9	235-6	229-3	244-4	243-1	244-7	244-1	249-1	251-6	261-3	266-8	268-6	279-2	
Winnipeg.....	122-2	124-9	128-6	129-0	130-5	133-2	132-9	130-4	126-6	127-4	127-4	130-5	132-8	
Vancouver.....	141-9	147-4	155-6	159-4	160-0	163-0	165-7	166-6	169-6	170-5	177-9	193-4	197-7	

VII. Employment—Concluded

22 SEASONALLY ADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH

1928=100

Classification	1941								1942							
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June		
All Industries.....	152.9	154.5	156.2	156.4	157.8	160.4	164.8		172.2	171.8	172.0	175.0	173.8	171.7		
MANUFACTURING.....	164.7	169.0	172.9	176.4	179.1	185.9	190.7		200.2	199.0	199.9	200.8	200.5	201.9		
Leather and products.....	133.1	138.0	137.1	137.3	139.5	145.2	149.4		158.4	146.9	140.7	138.3	134.0	134.8		
Rough and dressed lumber.....	103.2	97.0	98.6	100.1	101.8	108.8	112.6		120.2	115.2	119.2	121.9	110.2	98.0		
Furniture.....	118.6	116.5	119.9	118.0	111.7	109.9	110.8		123.0	115.3	115.6	115.5	113.9	113.3		
Musical instruments.....	114.0	106.0	92.7	80.0	74.5	68.5	68.9		86.4	95.2	102.2	111.4	108.4	115.8		
Pulp and paper.....	118.3	120.7	118.5	121.8	123.0	125.0	126.7		126.6	129.7	129.2	128.6	124.5	123.3		
Paper products.....	166.0	172.4	175.6	178.7	182.9	184.3	185.7		197.4	196.0	192.1	191.6	187.2	187.5		
Printing and publishing.....	125.2	127.0	126.9	127.1	128.4	127.7	126.9		126.8	126.9	130.5	127.1	126.0	124.5		
Rubber products.....	135.1	133.5	136.5	140.1	143.8	144.1	143.8		141.3	132.6	127.1	126.6	127.9	126.6		
Textile products.....	137.4	161.9	166.2	166.1	164.5	164.7	166.6		170.3	166.6	163.2	163.8	164.9	166.7		
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	109.6	176.3	176.2	175.6	177.5	178.1	173.9		176.5	176.5	173.1	176.2	177.4	176.4		
Hosiery and knit goods.....	144.0	143.8	148.0	149.4	145.8	142.2	143.1		148.6	147.8	144.9	143.0	142.4	145.4		
Clay, glass and stone products.....	124.2	132.9	123.3	123.3	123.2	123.7	130.0		148.4	151.0	148.5	144.7	131.4	124.5		
Electric light and power.....	150.1	150.4	149.9	148.9	146.2	147.5	148.7		144.4	144.3	142.5	142.5	146.0	145.4		
Electric apparatus.....	206.2	209.4	218.0	220.7	222.4	217.2	227.7		233.0	242.1	240.7	244.7	246.4	252.3		
Iron and steel products.....	194.2	207.2	220.4	231.4	238.6	248.5	254.1		265.9	260.5	259.7	262.5	270.2	282.5		
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	203.3	219.4	224.1	231.0	235.2	236.6	241.8		264.9	239.1	237.9	227.4	234.0	236.2		
Machinery other than vehicles.....	223.0	222.5	208.6	222.3	225.2	231.4	238.9		256.3	254.2	256.3	254.2	252.9	250.9		
Agricultural implements.....	96.5	93.7	102.1	117.9	127.0	126.0	111.6		106.3	106.3	105.0	110.4	123.9	123.9		
LOGGING.....	206.1	214.8	201.5	213.1	200.9	176.8	172.7		178.1	183.9	207.8	205.2	230.8	220.1		
MINING.....	152.5	150.8	178.5	179.8	176.6	175.4	176.6		177.0	176.4	178.9	180.6	180.9	178.3		
Metallic ores.....	376.2	372.3	370.3	369.7	366.7	365.4	364.0		359.7	365.5	364.8	365.3	361.5	361.3		
Non-metallic minerals (except coal).....	156.6	152.2	148.1	150.4	151.9	155.5	164.3		171.3	173.1	171.7	169.7	166.7	157.2		
Telephones.....	92.7	92.9	93.0	92.8	93.6	94.3	95.3		97.0	97.8	97.9	99.2	101.0	99.8		
TRANSPORTATION.....	98.2	100.7	101.0	101.0	99.1	99.2	102.4		106.0	103.8	103.9	105.1	106.4	105.3		
Street railways and carage.....	146.5	147.0	149.4	148.7	147.7	148.2	149.4		149.7	149.1	149.3	150.4	151.8	152.9		
Steam railways.....	87.6	88.4	87.2	85.5	86.0	87.7	91.4		93.3	93.5	93.8	94.7	95.2	96.2		
Shipping and stevedoring.....	86.7	96.4	97.5	99.2	90.3	88.0	88.8		105.1	95.9	88.8	91.3	93.5	89.8		
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	139.6	131.5	132.7	126.0	127.3	125.9	147.5		161.9	149.7	129.1	125.6	123.4	141.1		
Building.....	138.6	136.7	135.6	136.6	140.2	143.2	160.1		172.7	177.7	167.2	161.3	143.9	136.4		
Highway.....	188.0	172.3	183.7	167.0	173.1	164.6	190.7		190.2	167.2	116.5	114.8	134.4	141.1		
Railway.....	92.0	91.4	92.2	87.6	86.0	80.0	85.9		87.4	89.4	93.7	85.6	86.5	88.2		
HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.....	166.4	166.2	165.1	161.3	169.6	169.7	168.1		166.8	168.5	170.8	175.2	177.2	176.2		
TRADE.....	158.4	156.6	157.9	158.8	160.4	161.3	160.7		165.1	163.0	160.9	153.9	153.3	153.2		
Retail.....	165.8	166.1	167.9	167.9	170.3	171.5	170.1		168.6	168.1	161.7	163.7	161.9	162.0		
Wholesale.....	136.9	137.1	138.0	140.1	138.2	137.3	135.9		138.6	137.4	140.1	137.6	136.5	135.0		
Economic Areas—																
Maritime Provinces.....	153.6	157.6	157.9	158.4	169.8	172.7	187.4		185.9	184.3	165.8	165.5	164.1	167.4		
Quebec.....	153.6	158.9	163.3	163.4	166.6	166.4	171.4		181.4	184.3	187.0	190.7	185.7	182.6		
Ontario.....	160.8	162.9	163.7	166.2	166.6	169.1	172.8		180.0	178.7	177.6	179.5	177.9	177.8		
Prairie Provinces.....	139.1	128.6	128.2	128.3	122.9	127.2	133.8		137.6	135.3	135.7	139.3	136.6	135.2		
British Columbia.....	131.4	135.6	136.6	136.9	140.6	146.0	146.7		154.2	152.4	153.2	157.6	161.1	159.5		
Cities—																
Montreal.....	136.6	141.0	143.2	146.6	149.6	151.8	157.1		168.6	165.3	165.6	167.9	164.5	161.6		
Quebec.....	161.2	169.2	173.4	178.2	177.4	189.6	195.2		204.0	207.0	206.1	214.2	214.3	216.3		
Toronto.....	152.5	154.2	155.6	157.1	159.1	163.7	167.1		173.7	176.3	177.6	178.4	177.5	178.8		
Ottawa.....	147.9	150.9	152.3	152.5	156.4	162.5	166.7		176.4	173.4	161.4	160.6	156.4	154.9		
Hamilton.....	162.2	165.4	166.3	169.6	171.4	172.7	175.8		182.5	183.0	181.1	181.3	185.1	186.3		
Windsor.....	209.4	229.6	238.4	271.0	266.8	265.1	256.4		267.8	250.3	248.4	241.4	238.6	254.3		
Winnipeg.....	122.4	123.5	125.8	126.6	126.8	130.1	130.8		133.4	129.8	131.7	132.3	132.8	133.1		
Vancouver.....	139.1	144.5	149.6	152.5	155.9	162.4	167.4		177.6	178.8	174.9	180.4	191.9	193.8		

23. OTHER LABOUR FACTORS—VITAL STATISTICS, IMMIGRATION

Classification	1941								1942							
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June		
Labour Factors—																
Percentage unemployment in trade unions..... p.p.	4.1	3.5	2.4	2.7	3.1	3.3	5.2		4.3	4.0	4.5	3.3	2.4	2.5		
Employment: Applications..... No.	61,588	67,679	66,494	67,239	72,897	64,324	58,002		50,250	45,075	55,617	54,297	56,475	130,689		
Vacancies..... No.	41,729	49,399	49,884	51,603	51,098	43,439	43,181		26,823	27,546	34,200	43,534	52,759	65,166		
Placements..... No.	41,079	45,751	46,740	47,130	48,599	39,997	37,943		21,801	22,410	26,062	31,629	34,200	39,981		
Strikes and Lockouts—																
Disputes in existence..... No.	29	29	33	27	20	14	11		13	16	18	17				
Number of employees..... No.	7,320	21,860	12,348	10,495	5,085	4,880	5,718		2,175	2,901	3,770	6,838				
Time lost in working days.....	38,143	48,572	32,042	79,896	20,800	42,791	54,945		46,006	23,997	23,191	20,403				
Vital Statistics—																
Births.....	9,234	9,543	9,195	8,746	8,923	8,362	8,943		9,401	9,041	10,596	10,056	10,510			
Deaths.....	4,433	4,830	4,228	4,157	4,400	4,263	4,971		5,338	4,887	4,995	4,496	4,503			
Marriages.....	7,695	6,110	6,322	7,166	6,100	4,955	5,321		4,432	4,631	3,830	5,670	6,550			
Immigration—																
Total.....	828	925	936	961	836	783	632		549	381	539					
Returned Canadians from U.S.	348	368	311	263	251	176	173		230	204	275					

* Cities of 10,000 or over.

VIII. Prices

24. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100, AND PRICES OF REPRESENTATIVE COMMODITIES

Group	1941							1942						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Totals.....	99-1	91-1	91-8	93-2	93-8	94-0	93-6	94-3	94-6	95-1	95-0	95-2	95-8	
Component Material—														
Vegetable products.....	77-7	78-5	77-7	79-0	80-2	80-1	80-6	82-3	83-1	83-3	83-4	83-8	84-4	
Animal products.....	89-7	93-4	96-9	100-1	101-1	101-8	98-9	98-8	99-1	100-0	99-5	99-7	102-3	
Textiles.....	90-8	92-5	94-0	96-7	97-1	96-7	94-9	93-3	92-2	92-1	92-0	92-0	92-0	
Wood and paper.....	96-1	96-5	97-7	98-3	98-3	98-3	98-4	100-7	100-6	101-1	101-3	101-8	101-8	
Iron and its products.....	112-7	111-6	111-6	111-6	111-7	112-7	112-8	112-9	115-4	115-4	115-4	115-3	115-3	
Non-ferrous metals.....	78-1	78-2	78-2	78-2	78-2	78-2	78-3	78-3	78-4	78-4	78-4	78-4	78-4	
Non-metallic minerals.....	96-0	96-3	97-5	98-3	98-9	98-9	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-1	100-0	99-9	
Purpose—Consumers' goods.....	90-6	92-0	93-3	95-2	96-7	96-8	95-5	95-3	94-9	95-4	95-1	95-1	96-0	
Food, beverage and tobacco.....	88-9	91-6	92-8	94-7	96-2	96-8	95-5	95-8	95-6	96-7	96-2	96-5	98-7	
Producers' goods.....	84-2	84-5	84-5	85-6	85-7	85-5	85-8	86-8	87-2	87-4	87-7	88-3	88-7	
Producers' equipment.....	106-5	106-7	107-1	108-4	108-0	107-9	108-6	108-5	108-5	108-5	108-5	110-4	110-4	
Producers' materials.....	81-7	82-0	82-0	83-1	83-2	83-0	83-3	84-4	84-8	85-0	85-4	85-8	86-3	
Building and construction materials.....	106-4	106-0	110-6	111-2	111-1	111-2	111-6	113-1	113-3	114-2	114-4	114-4	114-2	
Manufacturers' materials.....	77-2	77-4	77-1	78-2	78-5	78-2	78-5	79-5	80-0	80-1	80-5	80-9	81-6	
Origin—Raw and partly manufactured.....														
Fully and chiefly manufactured.....	81-8	82-4	83-3	84-6	85-3	85-3	85-5	87-2	87-8	88-4	88-6	89-4	90-5	
Field Origin—Raw.....	88-9	90-2	90-8	92-4	93-2	93-3	92-4	92-0	91-7	92-1	91-9	91-6	91-6	
Manufactured.....	63-6	63-8	64-1	65-1	66-1	66-0	67-0	69-8	70-8	71-5	72-0	72-8	73-4	
Totals.....	88-3	89-3	88-0	90-1	91-0	90-6	89-3	87-9	88-6	88-3	88-3	89-0	89-0	
Animal Origin—Raw.....	76-6	77-5	77-0	78-6	79-5	79-2	79-3	80-3	80-0	80-7	80-8	80-9	81-3	
Manufactured.....	93-8	95-2	97-4	99-6	101-0	101-0	99-4	99-0	99-4	100-1	100-0	100-6	103-6	
Canadian Farm Products—Field origin.....	86-6	90-4	93-7	96-3	97-1	97-5	94-8	94-1	94-3	95-0	94-1	93-8	93-6	
Animal.....	87-7	92-1	95-3	97-8	98-8	99-0	96-8	96-2	96-5	97-2	96-7	96-7	97-9	
Canadian Farm Products—Field origin.....	57-1	57-1	56-7	57-6	57-9	57-4	59-2	62-8	64-3	64-6	65-0	65-5	66-3	
Animal.....	94-3	96-1	97-9	99-6	101-1	102-0	100-5	101-5	102-1	102-7	103-7	104-8	107-0	
Totals.....	71-0	71-7	72-1	73-3	74-1	74-1	74-6	77-3	78-4	78-8	79-5	80-2	81-5	
Marine Origin—Raw.....	76-7	79-2	80-2	82-7	84-5	89-1	92-4	93-1	94-3	94-3	93-9	95-9	103-9	
Manufactured.....	94-0	96-9	98-8	104-1	107-7	113-5	114-0	113-9	113-8	113-9	119-5	116-7	116-7	
Totals.....	90-0	92-1	93-8	98-3	101-4	106-9	108-2	108-3	108-5	108-6	112-6	111-1	113-2	
Forest Origin—Raw.....	117-4	118-0	120-6	121-5	121-2	121-3	121-6	126-4	126-1	127-2	127-7	128-5	128-5	
Manufactured.....	76-7	77-0	77-1	77-5	77-6	77-6	77-7	77-5	77-5	77-5	77-5	77-6	77-6	
Totals.....	95-7	96-1	97-4	98-0	97-9	98-0	98-1	100-3	100-2	100-7	100-8	101-3	101-3	
Newspaper and wrapping paper.....	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	74-0	
Mineral Origin—Raw.....	93-0	93-2	93-1	93-9	93-6	93-6	94-0	93-9	94-0	94-0	93-8	95-2	95-1	
Manufactured.....	98-8	98-6	99-6	99-6	100-3	100-6	100-8	100-7	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-6	101-5	
Totals.....	96-2	96-2	96-7	97-1	97-3	97-5	97-8	97-7	98-3	98-3	98-2	98-7	98-6	
Wholesale Prices of Important Commodities—														
Oats, No. 2 C.W..... bush.	-392	-403	-453	-493	-473	-444	-470	-508	-500	-500	-513	-515	-515	
Wheat, No. 1 Man. Northern ".....	-770	-747	-733	-726	-737	-732	-744	-770	-780	-780	-790	-793	-800	
Flour, First Patent 2-8's.....														
lute.....	6-050	5-850	5-030	4-950	5-050	5-050	5-050	5-050	5-050	5-050	5-050	5-050	5-050	
Sugar, granulated, Montreal cwt.	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	
Rubber, Ceylon, ribbed, smoked sheets, N.Y..... lb.	-269	-273	-283	-278	-277	-275	-275	-275	-275	-275	-275	-275	-275	
Cattle, steers, good, over 1,050 lbs..... cwt.	8-780	8-710	8-790	8-950	8-810	8-630	8-900	9-350	9-710	10-000	10-360	10-910	12-440	
Hogs, B 1 dressed Toronto ".....	13-460	14-620	14-620	14-650	14-780	14-780	14-890	15-310	15-160	15-290	15-190	15-190	15-490	
Beef hides, packer hides, native steers..... lb.	-152	-156	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	
Leather, green hide crops.....	-510	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	
Box sides, B. Oshawa..... ft.	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	
Butter, creamery, finest, Montreal..... lb.	-329	-362	-370	-360	-343	-352	-353	-355	-359	-363	-364	-365	-358	
Cheese, Canadian, old, large, Montreal.....	-240	-240	-266	-305	-350	-370	-370	-340	-340	-340	-338	-340	-340	
Eggs, Grade "A", Montreal, doz.	-295	-364	-394	-423	-499	-506	-384	-371	-360	-341	-330	-334	-352	
Cotton, raw, 1-1 1/16" Hamilton..... lb.	-189	-207	-216	-226	-217	-215	-223	-223	-223	-223	-223	-223	-223	
Cotton yarns, 10's white, single..... "	-245	-261	-280	-299	-280	-280	-280	-280	-315	-315	-315	-315	-315	
Wool, eastern bright & blood..... "	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	
Wool, western range, semi-bright, & blood..... "	-270	-283	-280	-275	-264	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	
Pulp, groundwood, No. 1..... ton	44-000	44-000	44-000	44-000	44-000	44-000	44-000	49-500	49-500	49-500	49-500	50-000	50-000	
Pig-iron, foundry No. 1.....	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	
Steel, merchant bars, mill, 100 lb.	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	
Copper, electrolytic, domestic, Montreal.....	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	
Lead, domestic, Montreal.....	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	
Tin ingots, Straits, Toronto..... lb.	-629	-645	-629	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	
Zinc, domestic, Montreal..... cwt.	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	
Coal, anthracite, Toronto..... ton	11-889	12-133	12-316	12-499	12-499	12-499	12-499	12-499	12-499	12-499	11-943	12-553	12-553	
Coal, bituminous, N.S. run-of-mine..... ton	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	5-700	
Gasoline, Toronto..... gal.	-195	-205	-205	-205	-215	-215	-215	-215	-215	-215	-215	-215	-215	
Sulphuric acid, 66° Baume, net ton	17-000	17-000	17-000	17-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	

*Dressed weight grading.

25. INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF LIVING 1935-39=100

Classification	1941							1942					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Cost of Living—													
Total.....	110.5	111.9	113.7	114.7	115.5	116.3	115.8	115.4	115.7	115.9	115.9	116.1	116.7
Food.....	112.6	116.0	121.3	123.3	123.2	125.4	123.8	123.3	123.7	123.7	123.7	124.3	126.2
Fuel.....	110.2	110.5	110.5	110.9	112.1	112.7	112.7	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.6
Rent.....	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	111.2	111.2	111.2	111.2	111.2	111.2	111.2	111.3	111.3
Clothing.....	114.9	115.1	115.7	117.4	119.6	120.0	119.9	119.9	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.9	119.9
Sundries.....	105.6	105.6	106.1	106.4	106.5	106.7	106.7	106.8	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1

26. INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES 1935-39=100

Security Prices—													
COMMON STOCK PRICES—													
Total (95).....	64.0	67.5	67.8	71.0	69.1	68.8	67.2	68.8	64.7	62.3	61.1	62.0	62.8
Industrials, total (68).....	60.3	64.0	64.4	67.5	65.5	65.3	63.9	62.9	60.8	57.8	56.6	57.9	58.4
Machinery and equipment (8).....	72.0	76.3	76.8	80.5	78.3	78.2	75.5	74.3	73.4	69.7	70.6	74.7	76.2
Pulp and paper (7).....	59.5	66.1	70.2	78.5	75.5	76.4	72.9	71.9	69.3	66.1	63.2	61.1	61.1
Milling (3).....	67.5	67.5	72.4	75.1	74.5	74.9	72.2	74.5	69.7	70.9	69.6	70.5	69.6
Oil (4).....	48.0	48.4	49.1	51.3	51.2	52.0	49.0	45.9	43.6	41.2	41.4	43.2	44.5
Textiles and clothing (10).....	101.1	105.7	106.3	108.4	105.7	110.0	110.4	112.8	108.7	104.3	102.4	104.3	106.6
Food and allied products (12).....	90.1	90.5	91.8	93.3	91.9	91.0	91.4	88.7	85.5	75.8	74.2	73.5	73.9
Beverages (7).....	87.3	94.3	95.7	102.4	98.7	102.6	104.8	99.2	96.3	92.8	93.1	94.2	93.6
Building materials (15).....	74.9	77.8	79.7	82.4	78.9	77.8	75.5	75.1	73.9	74.0	73.9	75.7	76.8
Industrial mines (2).....	64.2	72.3	71.5	75.8	71.7	68.9	69.7	71.0	70.1	67.3	64.2	65.2	64.9
Utilities, total (19).....	67.1	70.6	71.2	74.7	72.5	71.1	68.7	70.4	67.7	67.5	66.3	66.4	68.1
Transportation (2).....	58.9	65.8	70.0	70.3	65.7	65.2	60.4	64.5	60.5	59.4	60.6	59.6	56.6
Telephone and telegraph (2).....	92.0	93.0	94.0	98.6	96.8	95.3	95.9	95.5	93.5	93.5	91.9	92.0	92.3
Power and traction (15).....	62.0	65.3	64.4	68.8	67.3	65.5	63.0	64.4	62.1	62.0	60.2	60.7	64.3
Banks (8).....	89.0	89.7	89.7	91.2	90.8	91.7	90.5	91.1	91.1	89.4	88.4	87.4	87.7
MINING STOCK PRICES—													
Total (25).....	71.0	74.6	74.6	75.4	69.7	65.0	63.2	61.9	57.5	51.9	49.3	51.7	53.2
Gold (22).....	64.4	66.2	66.0	66.0	60.8	59.9	52.2	50.5	45.4	40.1	37.5	39.6	42.6
Base metals (3).....	83.9	91.3	91.7	94.0	87.4	85.0	84.8	84.3	81.5	75.3	72.8	75.8	74.3
Preferred Stocks.....	96.8	98.5	101.5	103.2	102.2	102.6	100.7	99.6	96.8	95.6	94.5	95.4	.....
BOND PRICES AND YIELDS—													
Treasury Bill Yields.....	0-588	0-580	0-564	0-546	0-542	0-541	0-545	0-548	0-545	0-552	.....	.....	.....
Dominion of Canada yields.....	3-32	3-31	3-30	3-27	3-27	3-23	3-24	3-24	3-24	3-25	3-25	3-25	3-22
Index of.....	101.9	101.5	101.2	100.3	100.2	99.1	99.3	99.4	99.3	99.6	99.6	99.5	98.8
Capitalized yields.....	98.1	98.5	98.8	99.7	99.8	100.9	100.7	100.6	100.7	100.4	100.4	100.5	101.2
Province of Ontario yields.....	3-56	3-43	3-25	3-21	3-23	3-20	3-26	3-28	3-30	3-27	3-21	3-15	3-13
Index of.....	101.1	97.4	92.3	90.9	91.8	90.9	92.6	93.2	93.8	92.9	91.2	89.5	88.9

27.—EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS, 1941-1942—FIRST OF MONTH

Geographical and Industrial Unit	Number of Employees Reported for			Aggregate Weekly Earnings Paid on or about			Average Per Capita Weekly Earnings Paid on or about		
	June 1942	June 1941	May 1942	June 1942	June 1941	May 1942	June 1942	June 1941	May 1942
(a) PROVINCES									
Maritime Provinces.....	124,344	114,022	117,240	3,142,368	2,689,775	3,132,842	25.27	21.94	26.72
Prince Edward Island.....	2,078	2,079	1,834	46,672	45,437	40,326	22.46	21.55	21.99
Nova Scotia.....	74,770	67,707	73,359	1,968,755	1,589,181	1,990,303	26.33	21.81	27.51
New Brunswick.....	47,496	44,236	43,047	1,126,941	1,055,157	1,102,213	23.73	22.64	25.60
Quebec.....	533,673	459,025	519,241	14,102,526	11,180,223	15,784,922	26.43	25.73	26.54
Ontario.....	724,484	656,507	713,937	21,317,714	18,206,720	21,415,329	29.42	27.04	30.00
Prairie Provinces.....	185,886	173,529	177,126	5,295,278	4,665,082	5,034,660	28.49	26.02	28.42
Manitoba.....	87,204	81,680	84,673	2,491,491	2,226,214	2,412,413	28.57	26.35	28.49
Saskatchewan.....	36,524	35,307	32,805	998,758	917,752	904,129	27.35	24.77	27.56
Alberta.....	62,158	56,533	59,648	1,805,020	1,521,116	1,718,118	29.04	26.35	28.80
British Columbia.....	149,942	124,747	147,020	4,668,906	3,504,236	4,519,645	31.14	27.26	30.74
Canada.....	1,781,719	1,527,920	1,674,665	48,526,791	40,246,636	47,887,408	28.24	25.26	28.60
(b) CITIES									
Montreal.....	253,106	213,898	247,258	6,970,815	5,480,495	6,872,684	27.54	24.74	27.80
Quebec City.....	30,762	22,692	29,964	725,537	487,212	683,988	23.50	20.53	22.83
Toronto.....	230,939	196,511	227,408	6,614,504	5,347,968	6,746,573	28.64	26.91	29.67
Ottawa.....	20,783	19,811	20,633	512,273	474,621	518,888	24.65	23.44	25.15
Hamilton.....	60,705	52,705	60,308	1,842,321	1,581,361	1,898,157	30.35	28.03	31.47
Windsor.....	37,940	31,494	36,504	1,516,614	1,232,471	1,447,138	39.97	33.21	39.64
Winnipeg.....	55,369	50,932	54,400	1,481,383	1,302,523	1,474,633	26.75	25.02	27.11
Vancouver.....	69,983	50,019	68,461	2,149,950	1,352,740	2,064,936	30.72	28.66	30.16
(c) INDUSTRIES									
Manufacturing.....	1,072,247	873,379	1,053,500	30,873,429	23,219,826	30,751,881	28.79	25.83	29.19
Durable Goods.....	570,473	.....	553,023	18,130,192	.....	17,817,540	31.78	.....	32.22
Non-Durable Goods.....	483,534	.....	482,251	12,108,481	.....	12,305,789	25.05	.....	25.52
Electric Light and Power.....	18,500	.....	18,226	634,753	.....	628,552	34.31	.....	34.49
Logging.....	50,128	46,928	47,027	1,035,186	947,803	1,001,861	20.65	20.92	21.30
Mining.....	80,887	53,148	81,076	2,787,314	2,618,473	2,823,838	34.46	31.55	34.83
Communications.....	27,745	25,974	27,702	777,108	717,818	767,508	28.01	26.94	27.71
Transportation.....	134,123	124,657	131,124	4,645,675	4,164,373	4,523,068	34.64	31.95	34.49
Construction and Maintenance.....	155,035	175,157	137,444	3,926,127	4,194,990	3,536,082	25.32	22.29	25.73
Services.....	40,250	38,060	39,272	691,101	636,406	679,372	17.17	15.88	17.30
Trade.....	157,754	160,617	157,510	3,790,851	3,746,347	3,803,798	24.03	23.06	24.15
Eight Leading Industries.....	1,718,329	1,527,920	1,674,665	48,526,791	40,246,636	47,887,408	28.24	25.56	28.60
Finance.....	63,390	.....	63,353	1,913,730	.....	1,907,662	30.19	.....	30.11
Nine Leading Industries.....	1,781,719	1,527,920	1,738,018	50,440,521	42,795,076	49,795,076	28.31	25.65	28.65

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28. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE BANK OF CANADA, 1942

Item	June 10	June 17	June 24	July 1	July 8	July 15
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
LIABILITIES—						
1. Capital paid up.....	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000
2. Rest fund.....	5,585,705	5,585,705	5,585,705	5,585,705	5,585,705	5,585,705
3. Notes in circulation.....	533,291,633	534,791,342	534,722,557	541,243,862	551,527,493	554,136,511
4. Deposits—						
(a) Dominion Government.....	32,789,571	51,483,112	34,998,722	31,308,408	19,997,235	22,925,240
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered Banks.....	201,416,808	207,549,347	200,281,904	221,306,046	215,079,088	244,837,982
(d) Other.....	22,006,127	7,035,829	23,764,224	26,695,174	31,527,752	13,949,803
Total.....	256,212,506	266,068,887	259,044,850	279,309,628	266,604,074	281,713,005
5. Sundry liabilities.....						
6. All other liabilities.....	9,784,543	10,703,260	10,550,096	13,833,948	10,439,751	12,775,352
Total.....	809,874,388	822,149,095	814,903,208	842,973,143	839,157,023	859,213,573
ASSETS—						
1. Reserve—						
Gold coin and bullion.....						
Silver bullion.....						
Sterling and U.S.A. dollars.....	457,396	457,396	181,496	944,075	5,394,075	763,493
Other currencies, of countries on a gold standard.....						
Total.....	457,396	457,396	181,496	944,075	5,394,075	763,493
2. Subsidiary coin.....	369,921	391,090	402,661	412,469	285,845	385,878
3. Bills discounted.....						
4. Advances to—						
(a) Dominion Government.....						
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered and Savings Bank.....						
Total.....						
5. Bills bought except treasury bills.....						
6. Investments—						
(a) Dominion and Provincial Government short securities.....	477,383,867	495,339,091	485,246,802	493,651,746	495,515,937	519,060,036
(b) Other Dominion and Provincial Government securities.....	313,624,518	314,890,303	318,201,256	322,131,284	323,201,316	327,054,449
(c) Other securities.....						
Total.....	791,008,385	810,229,394	803,448,058	815,783,029	818,717,253	846,115,285
7. Bank Premises.....	1,828,259	1,830,050	1,830,704	1,889,090	1,887,842	1,893,572
8. All other Assets.....	16,210,427	9,241,165	9,040,289	23,944,479	12,872,007	10,055,345
Total.....	809,874,388	822,149,095	814,903,208	842,973,143	839,157,023	859,213,573

29. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES¹

Classification	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
UNITED STATES STATISTICS—													
Industrial production, 1935-9=100	159	160	160	161	163	167	167	171	173	172	174	174	177
Mineral production, 1935-9=100	133	130	131	131	130	129	131	131	129	127	130	129	132
Manufacturing production, 1935-9=100	164	165	165	166	169	173	174	178	179	180	181	182	185
Manufacturing employment, 1923-5=100	128-7	133-3	133-0	132-4	132-7	134-3	134-9	135-7	134-9	134-2	135-4	136-9	
Cattle receipts, primary markets, 000	1,624	1,697	1,728	2,200	2,454	2,023	1,964	1,789	1,467	1,741	1,815	1,684	
Hog receipts, primary market 000	2,305	2,036	1,895	2,004	2,452	2,832	3,639	3,704	2,463	2,694	2,638	2,630	
NEWSPRINT PRODUCTION													
Consumption, 000 a. tons	84-0	83-2	83-6	78-7	87-1	82-6	81-7	84-6	76-2	80-9	82-7	80-0	
Pig iron production, 000 a. tons	242-4	215-0	224-4	239-1	262-4	263-9	274-5	232-0	216-1	251-0	238-5	242-4	
Steel ingot production, 000 a. tons	4,533	4,771	4,791	4,717	4,85-6	4,703	5,012	4,971	4,458	5,113			
Automobile production, 000 cars and trucks	6,801	6,822	7,001	6,820	7,243	6,970	7,164	7,129	6,521	7,393	7,122		
Contracts awarded, \$000,000	520-5	444-1	147-6	234-3	382-0	352-3	282-2	238-3	134-1	94-5			
Car loadings, 000 cars	539-1	577-4	760-2	623-3	608-3	458-6	431-6	316-8	433-6	610-8	498-7	473-5	
Electric power production, mill. k.w.	3,510	3,413	4,464	3,539	3-655	4,318	3,046	3,958	3,123	3,171	3,351	4,171	3,386
Imports, \$000,000	13,668	14,234	14,540	14,348	15,231	14,478	15,635	15,651	14,102	15,053	14,586	14,988	
Exports, \$000,000	279-5	277-9	283-5	283-7	304-1	280-5	343-8	253-7	254-0	272-3			
Wholesale prices, 1926=100	329-8	358-6	455-2	417-1	666-4	491-8	651-6	479-4	478-5	608-6			
Department of Labor	87-1	83-8	90-3	91-8	92-4	92-5	93-6	96-0	96-7	97-6	98-7	98-8	
Bond prices—Dollars													
All issues, New York, S.E.	94-80	95-04	94-86	94-74	95-25	94-80	94-80	95-24	95-13	95-97	95-63	95-64	
U.S. Treasury	111-5	111-7	111-1	111-1	112-0	112-4	110-7	110-1	108-9	110-2	110-5	110-7	
Prices common stocks (402)	79-5	83-2	83-2	83-6	80-4	77-4	71-8	72-6	69-9	66-0	63-3	63-2	
Standard and Poore's Corporation													
Industrials (354)	79-7	84-2	84-3	84-8	81-6	78-6	73-8	74-3	71-0	67-2	64-8	64-7	
Railways (20)	70-9	73-8	74-4	72-6	70-3	68-4	61-0	69-0	68-4	65-0	61-1	60-3	
Utilities (28)	81-6	81-8	81-0	81-3	78-5	74-5	66-2	66-1	64-5	60-5	56-5	57-2	
Stock sales, N.Y. Mil. Shares	10-5	17-9	10-9	13-5	13-1	18-1	36-4	13-0	7-9	8-6			
Bond sales, N.Y. Mil. Dolls.	149-4	159-1	140-2	141-0	178-9	140-7	224-7	220-0	283-1	174-0			
Bank deposits, N.Y. Mil. Dolls.	17,282	16,288	15,079	15,054	19,148	16,077	20,596	17,247	14,242	17,056	16,023	16,985	17,394
Outside, 141 centres. Mil. Dolls.	24,853	24,660	24,023	24,210	27,315	25,075	31,118	27,014	23,531	27,571	26,438	27,216	28,295

¹ Courtesy of the Survey of Current Business.² Based on sample of 422 publishers.

IX. Finance—Continued 30. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS

Millions of Dollars

	1941								1942				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Assets—													
CANADIAN CASH RESERVE—													
Notes of Bank of Canada	75.46	81.87	91.52	80.87	94.06	86.42	88.41	116.35	87.78	82.62	99.15	99.87	92.90
Deposits at Bank of Canada	239.79	200.35	216.30	212.64	207.46	231.79	247.10	232.03	200.59	234.68	241.88	214.77	185.98
Total	315.25	282.22	307.82	293.51	301.52	318.21	335.51	358.77	288.38	317.30	341.03	314.65	278.88
Gold and coin	8.90	9.15	9.77	8.71	9.06	9.44	9.43	10.39	10.58	9.70	9.85	8.15	8.77
Foreign currency	29.82	30.97	31.50	33.60	33.91	33.72	33.61	31.07	29.72	30.38	33.00	33.94	36.84
Notes of other banks	3.03	3.70	2.78	3.12	3.26	2.24	2.75	2.65	2.37	2.36	2.54	2.09	2.70
Cheques on other banks	120.69	150.38	133.77	128.10	146.15	156.99	151.28	198.42	129.33	136.09	156.63	173.37	136.87
Balances at other banks—													
United Kingdom banks	39.80	42.04	39.10	39.48	41.61	41.94	38.24	38.14	39.57	36.20	34.68	47.81	40.92
Other foreign banks	151.82	154.69	157.80	150.26	158.51	160.32	150.09	135.65	126.65	133.03	135.91	131.91	128.10
Canadian chartered banks	3.68	2.34	2.52	2.56	2.54	3.00	3.48	3.06	3.45	3.32	2.99	2.96	2.86
SECURITIES—													
Dom.-Prov. Government	1,560.7	1,440.8	1,434.7	1,450.7	1,454.9	1,407.0	1,448.6	1,515.9	1,674.5	1,723.5	1,643.6	1,641.0	1,617.6
Canadian municipal	91.37	89.27	88.04	87.81	84.60	81.11	79.88	79.19	78.15	77.43	79.02	82.13	78.43
Foreign public	63.16	63.95	63.70	67.70	65.70	63.89	70.93	75.16	75.30	72.42	74.84	89.83	96.55
Other	97.14	94.45	94.09	92.08	90.54	90.85	90.39	88.95	87.62	86.97	83.03	86.01	84.86
Total	1,812.4	1,688.8	1,680.6	1,698.8	1,695.7	1,642.9	1,689.6	1,759.2	1,915.6	1,960.3	1,880.8	1,899.0	1,877.5
CALL AND SHORT LOANS—													
In Canada	20.46	32.77	33.82	34.82	36.31	37.43	35.61	31.86	30.71	29.61	33.55	31.83	29.03
Elsewhere	41.95	44.62	43.50	50.30	47.38	45.65	42.40	47.65	43.85	45.69	49.60	52.82	62.43
CURRENT LOANS—													
In Canada—													
Prov. Governments	12.15	14.74	13.41	13.82	10.80	8.39	14.21	15.04	9.12	10.49	10.27	10.40	16.56
Municipalities, etc.	87.68	86.49	87.74	87.61	83.33	77.83	75.38	70.53	66.34	69.20	77.13	85.54	83.16
Other	1031.77	1191.09	1177.43	1154.00	1143.20	1146.86	1128.63	1063.70	1032.86	1055.49	1212.99	1155.82	1115.10
Elsewhere than in Canada	134.34	135.96	134.88	133.26	132.15	131.92	127.76	136.21	137.75	140.34	141.18	141.98	138.77
OTHER ASSETS—													
Non-current loans	5.56	5.50	5.34	5.59	5.29	5.17	4.84	4.60	4.68	4.66	4.55	4.27	4.18
Bank premises	70.56	70.33	70.39	70.52	70.34	69.90	69.30	69.39	69.59	69.50	69.44	69.64	69.61
Other real estate	6.84	6.81	6.77	6.70	6.69	6.80	6.58	6.49	6.80	6.40	6.34	6.22	6.12
Mortgages	3.57	3.58	3.55	3.58	3.55	3.42	3.41	3.38	3.33	3.35	3.39	3.40	3.43
Loans to controlled companies	11.09	11.04	11.10	11.00	10.91	10.66	11.12	10.85	11.22	11.13	11.04	10.71	11.10
Note circulation deposit	4.85	4.93	4.83	4.48	4.48	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.50	4.50	4.50
Letters of credit	87.33	94.25	94.43	95.61	104.10	112.28	121.43	123.51	124.76	126.80	128.40	124.48	122.94
Other assets	2.01	1.87	1.74	1.89	2.14	1.89	1.89	1.93	2.22	2.19	2.25	2.16	2.05
Total Assets	4,014.5	4,067.9	4,064.3	4,030.6	4,053.4	4,031.4	4,061.1	4,136.6	4,113.1	4,208.1	4,351.8	4,319.6	4,182.4
Liabilities—													
Notes in circulation	83.28	84.14	82.84	83.77	82.62	82.24	79.20	73.20	73.61	74.21	73.63	73.80	74.06
Deposit Liabilities—													
Government Deposits—													
Dominion	152.68	560.90	502.47	424.15	316.50	220.30	160.92	114.17	99.05	187.33	555.95	429.88	371.06
Provincial	92.01	62.63	67.28	58.26	64.90	64.46	60.76	62.83	58.87	58.63	55.38	62.95	58.23
Public Deposits—													
Demand in Canada	1105.18	984.33	1009.18	1026.04	1110.34	1135.82	1180.23	1268.47	1217.14	1270.74	1143.94	1232.25	1132.68
Time in Canada	1,695.2	1,466.9	1,488.7	1,522.2	1,555.2	1,591.7	1,639.2	1,669.0	1,720.4	1,664.3	1,549.6	1,537.1	1,555.7
Foreign	434.10	449.39	440.17	450.78	457.74	460.13	453.69	462.04	448.57	455.57	473.47	486.30	496.11
Deposits of other Banks—													
Canadian chartered banks	10.80	12.63	11.78	10.58	12.66	13.88	11.55	13.98	10.67	11.78	10.38	17.50	11.70
United Kingdom banks	20.53	21.91	21.44	24.42	20.25	19.64	18.26	19.16	21.25	20.57	21.25	21.68	23.57
Other banks	30.37	28.13	30.65	28.86	30.03	28.95	30.18	34.26	31.30	30.62	33.48	32.48	33.01
Total Deposit Liabilities	3,540.8	3,586.9	3,571.7	3,546.0	3,557.6	3,534.6	3,554.8	3,633.9	3,608.2	3,699.5	3,843.8	3,820.2	3,682.0
of which: Canadian currency	3,033.2	3,059.2	3,048.8	3,013.0	3,027.9	3,002.2	3,043.5	3,108.4	3,092.0	3,177.0	3,302.0	3,251.0	3,106.0
Other Liabilities—													
Bills payable	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.04
Letters of Credit	87.33	94.25	94.43	95.61	104.10	112.28	121.43	123.51	124.76	126.80	128.40	124.48	122.94
Other	5.02	5.02	5.32	5.83	5.77	6.15	7.31	8.32	8.63	8.56	6.88	4.09	4.42
Liability to Shareholders													
Dividends	2.27	1.52	2.81	2.30	1.49	3.80	2.28	1.46	2.09	2.25	1.50	2.79	2.23
Reserve	133.75	133.75	133.75	133.75	133.75	133.75	134.75	134.75	134.75	134.75	134.75	134.75	134.75
Capital paid up	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50
Total Liabilities	3,998.0	4,051.0	4,036.4	4,009.7	4,030.2	4,017.3	4,045.3	4,120.7	4,097.5	4,191.6	4,334.2	4,305.6	4,185.9
Daily Average Data—													
Canadian currency deposits	3,007.2	3,030.7	3,014.6	3,006.9	3,001.8	2,966.4	2,994.8	3,006.1	3,050.0	3,125.0	3,253.0	3,247.0	3,136.0
Canadian cash reserve	309.0	317.8	304.4	307.8	308.4	315.8	340.3	335.7	317.0	314.0	337.0	331.0	307.0
Total public note circulation	365.0	378.1	386.2	400.8	411.2	422.8	433.0	449.1	438.0	456.0	470.0	477.0	488.0
Daily Average Ratio: Cash to Deposits	10.3	10.5	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.6	11.4	11.2	10.4	10.0	10.4	10.2	9.8
Index Numbers (1935-39=100)													
Canadian deposits (daily average)	129.1	130.1	129.4	129.1	128.9	127.4	128.6	129.1	130.9	134.2	139.7	139.4	134.6
Canadian cash reserve (daily average)	128.4	132.1	126.6	127.9	128.2	131.3	141.4	139.5	131.8	130.5	140.1	137.6	127.6
Current loans in Canada	132.3	152.7	151.0	148.0	146.6	147.0	144.7	138.9	135.0	132.3	155.5	148.2	143.0
Total securities	138.6	124.5	123.9	128.2	125.0	121.1	124.6	129.7	141.2	144.5	138.7	140.0	138.4
Total public note circulation	187.9	194.6	198.8	206.3	211.6	217.0	222.9	231.1	225.4	234.7	241.9	245.5	251.2

* Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

IX. Finance—Continued
31. BANK DEBITS IN MILLION DOLLARS

Areas and Cities	1941							1942						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
BANK DEBITS—														
MARITIME PROVINCES														
Halifax.....	54.0	42.9	45.5	44.7	46.2	50.1	51.8	40.6	41.1	60.6	47.5	55.2	47.5	
Moncton.....	13.7	12.6	13.7	13.2	15.6	15.1	15.8	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.1	13.7	16.0	
Saint John.....	27.8	19.9	19.8	20.5	22.4	19.9	22.4	21.6	21.7	30.1	24.0	22.9	24.1	
Totals.....	95.5	75.4	78.0	78.4	84.3	85.2	90.0	77.2	77.7	105.5	85.6	91.7	87.6	
QUEBEC														
Montreal.....	1,080.3	817.7	814.7	853.9	899.9	865.7	978.1	841.4	746.4	997.6	907.5	952.9	860.2	
Quebec.....	81.5	79.4	104.0	81.9	105.5	88.7	98.9	88.7	70.1	123.7	83.7	91.7	104.5	
Sherbrooke.....	11.9	9.9	9.6	9.4	10.6	9.8	10.4	9.7	9.4	10.6	10.4	10.9	11.2	
Totals.....	1,173.6	907.1	928.2	945.1	1,016.0	964.1	1,087.4	939.8	825.8	1,132.0	1,001.6	1,055.5	976.0	
ONTARIO														
Brantford.....	16.4	13.5	12.8	13.6	15.1	14.4	16.4	14.8	13.7	20.0	17.1	18.6	16.9	
Chatham.....	16.5	10.3	9.5	10.3	9.8	12.1	13.5	11.2	8.9	11.3	8.6	10.9	9.7	
Fort William.....	13.3	11.0	8.6	9.4	9.3	9.9	10.4	9.6	8.4	11.7	8.5	11.3	10.7	
Hamilton.....	110.7	90.8	92.2	80.4	102.9	97.2	102.9	103.6	93.0	118.5	110.3	106.5	100.8	
Kingston.....	11.2	8.6	9.2	8.9	10.0	9.3	11.2	10.0	9.0	12.6	10.2	11.4	11.4	
Kitchener.....	28.8	17.0	16.3	17.5	19.4	18.8	21.0	18.5	18.3	32.9	21.7	19.8	19.8	
London.....	65.0	40.6	40.3	37.5	45.3	40.2	44.8	44.4	33.7	52.0	44.1	43.1	48.9	
Ottawa.....	296.1	288.3	282.9	284.1	325.0	337.7	342.1	341.7	334.6	593.1	500.6	614.2	529.1	
Peterborough.....	12.3	9.0	9.9	9.4	10.8	9.8	11.9	11.7	11.6	9.5	11.5	12.2	12.0	
St. Catharines.....	21.8	17.5	16.7	15.9	15.7	16.8	19.2	17.5	17.2	20.9	19.3	23.3	19.0	
Sarnia.....	10.0	8.7	8.9	10.3	10.2	11.0	10.4	9.9	8.4	9.8	10.7	10.0	10.6	
Sudbury.....	9.4	9.0	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.4	8.7	8.6	8.1	8.8	8.3	8.6	8.6	
Toronto.....	1,357.9	846.2	808.9	961.6	1,012.0	957.0	992.9	844.1	715.2	1,167.1	1,052.8	914.7	1,009.1	
Windsor.....	76.2	55.6	58.3	58.7	66.4	61.0	76.0	71.5	64.1	86.0	71.1	82.4	81.9	
Totals.....	2,045.8	1,426.4	1,383.1	1,536.2	1,660.6	1,603.5	1,681.5	1,517.5	1,344.3	2,154.2	1,894.8	1,886.9	1,888.6	
PRAIRIE PROVINCES														
Brandon.....	5.6	4.0	5.0	5.2	5.8	5.5	5.7	4.6	4.7	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.6	
Calgary.....	99.8	75.6	74.8	74.4	87.3	79.8	87.2	78.3	73.5	86.8	74.8	71.7	77.5	
Edmonton.....	60.2	50.3	50.2	51.1	54.0	56.0	59.0	54.4	52.3	60.2	60.6	56.8	53.2	
Lethbridge.....	6.1	5.2	5.8	5.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	6.0	5.4	5.7	7.0	6.4	6.2	
Medicine Hat.....	4.2	3.7	4.0	3.6	4.7	3.8	4.2	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.1	
Moose Jaw.....	8.5	8.2	7.1	7.1	10.3	10.6	10.2	8.7	7.6	8.5	8.9	8.2	9.0	
Prince Albert.....	4.0	3.8	3.6	4.0	4.5	4.5	4.8	4.2	4.0	4.8	3.9	4.0	4.6	
Regina.....	77.2	50.2	43.6	37.6	56.0	46.8	45.4	42.3	38.5	41.4	36.8	53.1	47.7	
Saskatoon.....	15.1	13.7	13.5	14.0	15.5	15.2	15.9	13.1	12.1	13.9	13.4	14.2	13.7	
Winnipeg.....	369.7	407.2	339.5	337.3	403.3	337.6	380.2	285.2	233.9	229.3	323.9	313.9	365.1	
Totals.....	659.3	622.2	547.1	540.1	648.2	566.7	619.5	499.9	435.3	529.5	537.1	536.5	585.6	
BRITISH COLUMBIA														
New Westminster.....	9.0	9.5	9.6	9.6	10.7	10.2	10.5	9.7	10.0	11.3	10.9	11.1	11.3	
Vancouver.....	215.1	167.6	164.3	156.5	170.6	164.5	166.2	154.5	168.3	211.2	172.4	176.8	176.3	
Victoria.....	51.1	33.6	39.5	34.9	36.8	32.6	31.5	32.4	31.4	33.2	30.9	32.6	41.6	
Totals.....	275.3	210.7	213.4	200.9	218.1	207.4	208.2	196.5	209.8	255.7	214.2	220.4	229.3	
Canada.....	4,240.6	3,241.7	3,149.8	3,300.7	3,627.2	3,426.0	3,686.5	3,230.8	2,892.9	4,176.8	3,733.2	3,791.0	3,767.0	
Bank Clearings.....	1,914	1,892	1,758	1,918	2,065	2,015	2,097	1,968	1,576	2,969	2,648	2,174	1,971	

32 STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS AND BOND FINANCING

Classification	1941							1942						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE AND														
MONTREAL CURE MARKET—														
Shares Traded—														
Industrials.....	0.000	108	197	215	303	192	204	246	158	147	177	181	159	151
Mines.....	0.000	84	179	300	555	185	149	234	167	128	141	112	114	115
Value of Listings.....	\$000,000	6,791	7,071	7,100	7,227	6,889	6,853	6,805	6,611	6,400	6,279	6,193	6,083	.....
Brokers' Loans.....	\$000	5,565	5,705	5,644	5,700	5,769	5,595	6,180	5,755	5,724	5,783	6,369	5,716	.....
Loan Ratio.....		0.15	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.15	0.13	0.15	0.15	0.16	0.18	0.16	.....
TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE—														
Borrowings on collateral.....	\$000	9,636	9,360	8,535	8,809	9,154	8,642	8,409	8,521	8,490	8,988	9,931	9,361	8,613
Ratio to quoted values.....		0.27	0.25	0.24	0.23	0.25	0.23	0.23	0.24	0.25	0.27	0.31	0.26	.....
Sales.....	0.000	2,389	4,293	4,940	7,641	4,331	3,361	4,517	3,416	2,788	3,042	3,064	3,557	3,222
Values.....	\$000	3,817	6,479	5,936	12,961	7,573	6,215	7,993	5,823	4,788	4,891	3,746	3,968	4,925
Market values ¹	\$000,000	3,543	3,707	3,763	3,843	3,676	3,655	3,605	3,530	3,369	3,281	3,226	3,289	3,263
New Issues of Bonds.....	\$000,000	887.0	111.4	83.5	82.6	341.7	94.9	92.5	90.4	100.1	105.8	100.9	92.3	293.6
INDEX OF DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.....		119.6	118.8	118.9	118.7	118.5	119.3	120.3	121.3	121.1	121.0	120.9	121.8	.....
DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.....	\$000	58,276	26,856	9,939	27,590	20,226	10,399	70,777	22,952	10,016	20,731	20,939	6,357	48,456
BOND INTEREST.....	\$000	23,179	27,739	20,781	12,107	32,513	36,432	23,249	27,053	20,893	12,818	32,832	38,303	33,250
BOND ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS ²	1939							1940						
	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	I	II	III	IV	I	II	
Dom. Govt. Direct and Gtd.	\$000,000													
New Issues—new	81.0	200.0	.....	.....	.....	307.6	273.3	753.7	184.4	21.5	868.1	.....	.....
—refunding	119.0	90.0	65.0	.....	.....	24.9	.....	117.5	.....	206.0	152.1	.....	.....
Retirements—refunded	99.3	95.8	77.5	24.9	.....	.....	.....	117.5	.....	200.0	152.1	.....	.....
—other	1.3	25.9	21.2	114.3	64.8	91.6	21.8	6.4	159.0	216.6	.....	.....	.....
Provincial Direct and Gtd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Issues—new	15.9	6.5	3.3	4.1	3.5	18.0	2.5	2.2	3.5	.....	.....	.....	.....
—refunding	8.6	12.3	21.3	6.6	48.6	10.2	2.1	1.6	28.3	1.3	.....	.....	.....
Retirements—refunded	1.7	21.5	10.7	16.6	31.2	34.0	6.3	13.9	9.6	2.8	.....	.....	.....
—other	7.7	5.4	4.5	5.2	9.6	6.5	21.7	16.1	7.9	17.4	.....	.....	.....
Corporations	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Issues—new	15.2	9.2	20.9	0.9	3.1	4.9	1.3	1.6	5.6	0.1	.....	.....	.....
—refunding	.....	7.7	10.2	.....	.....	1.8	0.3	0.4	1.2	14.9	.....	.....	.....
Retirements—refunded	.....	6.4	10.8	.....	.....	1.2	0.7	0.7	1.2	14.9	.....	.....	.....
—other	14.4	12.2	11.4	8.0	28.4	14.6	30.1	7.3	19.3	27.4	.....	.....	.....

* Month end values of all listed stocks. * Totals shown by quarters. Source: Statistical Summary, Bank of Canada.

IX. FINANCE—Concluded

33. DOMINION GOVERNMENT REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

Classification	Month of June, 1942 (unrevised)	Month of June, 1941	April 1, 1942 to June 30, 1942 (June unrevised)	April 1, 1941 to June 30, 1941
	\$	\$	\$	\$
* Receipts—Ordinary Revenue—Customs Import Duty.....	10,845,318	9,762,055	30,417,127	30,617,409
Excise Duty.....	11,089,630	8,372,967	29,585,171	23,401,233
Excise Taxes, Sales, Stamps, etc.....	37,985,162	32,793,784	93,182,776	82,173,546
Income Tax.....	48,655,147	29,445,733	444,776,955	237,439,637
Post Office Department.....	3,200,004	3,202,398	10,100,004	9,510,632
Sundry Departments.....	3,405,252	1,647,912	11,436,731	4,890,570
Total Ordinary Revenue.....	115,180,514	85,224,849	619,498,764	388,033,027
Special Receipts.....	263,350	55,424	758,759	106,734
Total.....	115,443,864	85,280,273	620,257,523	388,139,761
Ordinary Expenditure—Agriculture.....	696,265	663,212	1,917,779	1,881,371
Auditor General's Office.....	42,534	36,731	126,652	110,769
Chief Electoral Officer, including elections.....	353,034	12,836	1,153,086	23,057
Civil Service Commission.....	33,845	32,923	102,817	99,900
External Affairs.....	79,312	61,498	238,566	186,448
Finance—				
Compensation to Provinces re-Taxation agreements....	32,260,153		34,214,024	
Office of Coal Administrator.....	251,753	479,141	546,985	837,613
Interest on Public Debt.....	16,518,462	6,948,405	49,484,897	44,771,697
Other Public Debt Charges.....	184,531	1,436,144	552,232	1,871,832
Old Age Pensions.....	220	160	540	480
Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury.....	196,602	154,117	550,909	457,498
Superannuation and Miscellaneous Pensions.....	33,190	37,447	67,940	75,504
General Expenditure (Finance Dept.).....	57,860	39,489	158,239	110,540
Miscellaneous Grants and Contributions.....	112,500	62,860	180,583	253,860
Miscellaneous Offices and Commissions.....	141,404	165,245	411,252	330,083
Fisheries.....	148,205	118,345	310,793	298,750
Governor General and Lieutenant Governors.....	27,176	26,989	47,570	47,555
Insurance.....	13,837	12,917	37,022	36,450
Justice.....	456,737	435,685	1,106,364	1,109,866
Labour.....	48,220	54,724	130,341	141,763
Labour—Unemployment Insurance Commission.....	1,217,487	91,598	2,754,740	135,388
Legislation—				
Houses of Parliament and Library.....	301,605	84,119	906,110	660,590
Mines and Resources.....	1,205,166	1,042,785	2,787,374	2,553,750
National Research Council.....	71,863	60,614	196,747	170,438
National Revenue.....	1,148,528	1,047,799	3,411,836	3,028,806
National War Services.....	125,237		252,913	
Pensions and National Health.....	4,515,914	4,555,463	13,625,017	13,699,117
Post Office.....	3,188,751	3,252,150	8,255,989	7,693,814
Privy Council.....	5,087	4,220	14,036	12,822
Public Archives.....	10,200	10,817	29,491	29,243
Public Printing and Stationery.....	8,860	12,041	30,136	39,055
Public Works.....	965,980	1,175,446	2,567,097	2,317,277
Royal Canadian Mounted Police.....	604,063	542,847	1,565,254	1,491,008
Secretary of State.....	60,747	61,810	185,942	183,269
Soldier Settlement.....	61,947	56,237	170,548	174,220
Trade and Commerce.....	519,417	479,912	1,462,667	1,350,732
Transport.....	997,543	879,106	2,312,469	2,309,575
Maritime Freight Rates Act.....	361,417	464,099	840,935	1,026,987
Total Ordinary Expenditure.....	67,056,152	24,599,981	132,713,402	89,520,873
Capital Expenditure—				
Transport.....	379,044	176,634	458,788	359,891
Special Expenditure—				
Relief Works and Grants.....	1,346,124	444,484	2,108,714	1,071,149
War Expenditure.....	138,340,038	64,635,408	481,502,686	201,184,242
U.K. War Financing Act, 1942.....	216,428,634		436,428,634	
Total Special Expenditure.....	356,114,796	65,079,893	920,040,033	202,255,391
Government Owned Enterprises—				
Canadian National Railways—				
P.E.I. Car Ferry Terminals Deficit.....	33,000	65,333	99,000	132,000
Other Charges.....	8,757	10,943	13,534	25,109
Grand Total Expenditure.....	423,591,748	89,932,784	1,053,325,057	292,293,265
Loans and Investments—				
Canadian Farm Loan Board.....		12,064		12,064
Canadian National Railways—				
Financing Act.....	1,953,931		3,514,717	
Temporary Loan.....	13,473,954	4,155,517	48,174,053	10,008,835
Municipal Improvements Assistance Act.....	18,250	9,735	73,245	180,372
National Housing Act.....	185,209	206,617	491,312	983,597
Purchase of Railway Equipment.....	315,069		819,178	
Soldier Settlement of Canada.....	2,733	5,640	6,086	10,640
Total Loans and Investments.....	15,949,046	4,389,573	53,083,590	10,895,509

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SITUATION ÉCONOMIQUE EN JUIN

Cinq des six facteurs majeurs traçant l'orientation de la situation économique ne laissent voir que de légers changements en regard du mois précédent. Les dépôts bancaires, qui diminuent appréciablement au début du mois font exception. L'augmentation des dépôts à terme est plus que neutralisée par la diminution dans les autres comptes. Les dépôts aux banques à charte du Canada atteignent leur niveau maximum la première partie de l'année courante, mais le dernier rapport indique qu'ils diminuent un peu en mai. Les actions ordinaires et les prix de gros montent légèrement le mois sous revue. Durant les premiers mois de l'année courante les actions ordinaires sont plus basses qu'en tout autre temps depuis la première partie de 1933. La reprise en juin est décidément faible. Les opérations spéculatives se maintiennent au bas niveau qui caractérise la période depuis juin 1940. Les obligations de tout repos sont un peu inférieures à ce qu'elles étaient le mois précédent, mais le changement est insignifiant. Les obligations du Dominion sont relativement stables depuis le début de l'année, le rendement étant plus faible qu'en tout autre temps depuis le commencement des hostilités.

En juin les opérations productives se maintiennent bien au niveau élevé du mois précédent. La légère contraction de la production d'articles civils est neutralisée par une expansion dans les industries de guerre. La température favorable dans les régions à grain de l'Ouest justifie l'optimisme au sujet des grandes cultures de l'année courante. La production de guerre a maintenant atteint des proportions considérables et plusieurs fabriques construites au cours des deux dernières années ont commencé à fonctionner. Les nouveaux contrats adjugés par le Ministère des Munitions et Approvisionnements se chiffrent à \$95,100,000 en mai et quantité de nouveaux contrats sont placés d'un mois à l'autre. Par suite d'activités relatives à l'effort de guerre, un grand nombre d'industries fonctionnent presque à plein rendement. Les facilités de transport de marchandises des chemins de fer sont grevées à l'extrême, et l'on se demande avec une certaine inquiétude si l'industrie de l'énergie électrique pourra faire face à la demande.

Agriculture

Les stocks de blé s'élèvent à 404,100,000 boisseaux la semaine du 10 juillet contre 463,400,000 la même semaine de l'an dernier. Les arrivages dans les Provinces des Prairies s'établissent à 204,300,000 boisseaux au cours des quarante-neuf semaines terminées le 10 juillet comparativement à près de 437,000,000 l'an dernier. On a annoncé le 14 juillet que les rapports de l'Ouest canadien indiquent que la récolte de blé sera d'environ 400,000,000 de boisseaux, ce qui nécessitera un entreposage considérable sur les fermes. Le texte de l'accord international sur le blé, signé à Washington par cinq nations, a été rendu public. L'accord stipule une mise en commun de secours de 100,000,000 de boisseaux à laquelle le Canada contribuera 25,000,000 de boisseaux, le contrôle de la production et des stocks, le contrôle des exportations (la part du Canada représentant 40 p.c. des exportations globales de blé et de farine de blé par les quatre pays exportateurs) et des projets de contrôle des prix par l'établissement d'un minimum et d'un maximum de base.

Les livraisons de bêtes à cornes aux enclos et aux salaisons augmentent en juin, soit à 92,559 têtes contre 82,866 le même mois de l'an dernier. Au cours de la première moitié de l'année les livraisons s'élèvent à 524,829 têtes contre 476,488 la même période de 1941. Les classements de porcs durant la première moitié de l'année sont bien supérieurs à ceux de 1941, soit 3,147,709 têtes comparativement à 2,893,982. Le classement du fromage en Ontario et en Québec s'établit à 935,531 boîtes du 1er décembre l'an dernier au 11 juillet 1942, en regard de 521,679 la période comparable de l'an dernier. La production de beurre de crèmerie s'établit à 41,400,000 livres contre 40,500,000 le même mois de l'an dernier. La production de fromage de fabrique se place à 32,800,000 livres comparativement à 26,000,000 le même mois de 1941.

La prise de poisson de mer s'élève à 89,230,000 livres en mai contre 100,690,000 en mai l'an dernier, la prise des pêcheurs de la terre ferme du Québec étant exclue des statistiques du mois dernier. La valeur au débarquement est de \$2,698,846 en mai comparativement à \$2,077,800 le même mois de l'an dernier. Comme on ne dispose pas présentement de la quantité suffisante de peaux de renard argenté canadien de la meilleure qualité pour satisfaire au contingentement américain de 70,000 unités chaque année, lequel limite l'exportation aux peaux de qualité supérieure, les règlements ont été amendés par la révocation de la clause 19 concernant le classement des peaux de renards élevés sur les ranchs. En vertu de la nouvelle clause, l'exportation de fourrures de qualité inférieure sera permise. Au cours des années passées le volume des peaux de renard canadien de la plus haute qualité pour exportation a excédé la quantité permise en vertu du contingentement.

Les facteurs traçant l'orientation de la production minérale réagissent pour la plupart. Toutefois, les arrivages d'or à la Monnaie laissent voir une augmentation moins que normale pour la saison. La production de charbon se place à 1,367,563 tonnes contre 1,299,694. La production de pétrole brut dans la vallée Turner en juillet a été réduite de près de 1000 barils par jour dans l'échelle de production permise, publiée par la Commission de conservation du pétrole et du gaz naturel de l'Alberta. Les contingentements du mois se placent à 25,075 barils par jour comparativement à 26,187 en juin. La diminution résulte de l'application intégrale, dans l'extrémité nord du champ, du projet de conservation de la production de la vallée Turner soumis l'hiver dernier par le Dr G. G. Brown, géologue américain.

Industrie forestière

L'industrie forestière est plus active en juin que durant le mois précédent. La production de papier à journal s'élève à 242,762 tonnes contre 251,831 le mois précédent et l'indice ajusté pour la saison avance de 94.1 à 95.4. L'indice de l'industrie forestière passe de 113.9 en mai à 121.1 le mois sous revue.

Industrie manufacturière

Les facteurs traçant l'orientation de la production manufacturière sont diversifiés le mois sous revue. La production de la minoterie est à plus bas niveau le dernier mois où les statistiques sont connues. La salaison est plus active si l'on en juge par le volume des abatages inspectés. L'indice basé sur trois catégories de bestiaux passe de 127.3 à 134.8. Les abatages de bêtes à cornes et de porcs augmentent considérablement après ajustement saisonnier. La consommation de coton brut en juin approche 15,000,000 de livres comparativement à 17,100,000.

Construction

Les contrats de construction sont plus considérables qu'en tout autre mois de l'année courante, même après ajustement saisonnier. Le total est de \$46,800,000 contre \$23,900,000 le mois précédent et l'indice grimpe de 100.5 à 173.4. Les contrats placés en juin sont plus volumineux qu'au cours du même mois de toute année de 1931 à 1940. En vue de l'expansion des usines de guerre l'an dernier, les contrats se sont chiffrés à \$85,700,000. Des \$46,800,000 de contrats placés en juin, les industries en absorbent pour \$17,900,000. Les nouveaux contrats pour la construction d'habitations augmentent légèrement en regard du même mois de l'an dernier.

Transports

Les recettes brutes des chemins de fer Canadien National et Canadien Pacifique au cours de la première moitié de 1942 excèdent de 20.3 p.c. celles de l'an dernier. Le total est de \$290,400,000 contre \$241,600,000 la même période de 1941. L'augmentation en regard de la première moitié de 1931 approche \$141,000,000 ou 94.3 p.c. Le maximum antérieur pour le semestre a été atteint en 1929 avec un total de \$254,000,000; les six premiers mois de l'année courante ce maximum est dépassé de 14 p.c. Les recettes brutes du Canadien Pacifique, à \$121,000,000, augmentent de 21.2 p.c. par rapport à celles de la même période de l'an dernier. Les recettes brutes du Canadien National se chiffrent à \$169,400,000, augmentation de 19.5 p.c. sur celles de l'année précédente.

Les chargements s'élèvent à 286,506 wagons en juin contre 283,434 le mois précédent. Après ajustement saisonnier, l'indice perd environ un point à 141.4. Du commencement de l'année au 11 juillet les chargements se chiffrent à 1,766,000 wagons, à rapprocher de 1,614,000 la même période de 1941, augmentation de près de 153,000 wagons. Il y a des diminutions pour les chargements de grain, de coke et d'autres produits forestiers. Les chargements de denrées diverses

laissent voir la plus forte augmentation; les augmentations des chargements de minerai, de bois à pulpe et de marchandises par lots de moins d'un wagon viennent dans l'ordre donné. L'augmentation des chargements de charbon et de bois d'œuvre excède 11,000 wagons.

Commerce

Le volume en dollars du commerce de détail en mai surpasse de 12 p.c. celui du même mois de 1941 et de 3 p.c. celui d'avril. L'indice non ajusté des ventes, sur la base de 1935-1939, se place à 159.4 en mai contre 154.8 en avril et 142.9 en mai 1941. Au cours des cinq mois terminés en mai la moyenne des ventes est de 17.5 p.c. plus forte que celle de la période correspondante de 1941. L'indice des ventes de gros s'établit à 158.6 en mai comparativement à 148.6 le même mois de l'an dernier. En avril l'indice était inférieur de quatre points à celui de mai et se plaçait à 154.5.

Prix

L'indice général des prix de gros se place à 95.8 en juin, comparativement à 95.2 le mois précédent et 90.1 en juin l'an dernier. Les prix de gros fluctuent entre d'étroites limites depuis novembre dernier, alors que l'indice s'établit à 94.0. Les produits entièrement et principalement ouverts restent stables en juin comparativement au mois précédent, tandis que les matières premières et les produits partiellement ouverts gagnent plus d'un point, de 89.4 à 90.9. L'indice des produits de la ferme canadienne avance de 1.3 point à 81.5. Les produits agricoles et animaux montent moins. Quatre des huit groupes constituants n'offrent pas de changement général, tandis que trois montent et les métalloïdes baissent un peu.

L'indice du coût de la vie passe de 116.1 le 1er mai à 116.7 le 1er juin. L'indice fait un gain de 15.8 p.c. du mois d'août 1939 au mois de juin 1942. L'avance en regard du mois précédent est surtout occasionnée par l'indice des aliments qui passe de 124.3 à 126.2. La baisse du charbon fait reculer l'indice du combustible de 112.9 à 112.6, tandis que les fournitures de maison et les services passent de 118.0 à 117.9. Le loyer se maintient à 111.3, le vêtement à 119.9 et les items divers à 107.1.

Emploiement

L'indice de l'emploiement industriel s'établit à 167.4 le 1er mai contre 145.5 la même date de l'année précédente. L'indice fait un gain de 2.2 points par rapport à celui de 165.2 le 1er avril. Les gains hebdomadaires moyens, tels que rapportés au Bureau par les employeurs ayant 15 personnes ou plus à leurs services, s'élèvent à \$49,800,000 comparativement à \$48,900,000 la semaine du 1er avril ou vers cette date. Les gains per capita augmentent de \$28.47 à \$28.65.

Actions ordinaires

L'indice de 95 actions industrielles ordinaires s'établit à 62.8 en juin, contre 62.0 le mois précédent et 64.0 en juin l'an dernier. Le point le plus bas en ces dernières années a été atteint en avril, alors que l'indice se plaçait à 61.1. Dans les neuf groupes industriels, la machinerie et l'outillage, les huiles, les textiles et le vêtement, les aliments et les produits connexes, et les matériaux de construction laissent voir des gains. Le téléphone, le télégraphe, l'énergie et la traction accusent des avances dans la section des utilités. L'indice de huit actions bancaires passe de 87.4 à 87.7. L'indice de vingt-cinq titres miniers se place à 53.2 en juin contre 51.7 le mois précédent. L'indice de vingt-deux valeurs aurifères avance, tandis que celui de trois métaux communs recule. Les ventes nettes de valeurs mobilières par le Canada aux autres pays se chiffrent à \$13,800,000 en avril. Ces ventes n'ont été surpassées en ces dernières années que par celles de \$23,000,000 en mars. La valeur des titres inscrits à la Bourse et au Curb de Montréal est un peu plus élevée à la fin de juin, soit \$3,554,000,000 comparativement à \$3,540,000,000 le mois précédent. Le 30 juin 1941 la valeur était de \$3,865,000,000.

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